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WELCOME TO THE PLANET MOBIUS--A WORLD BEYOND WHAT YOU KNOW FROM THE SEGA GAMES--WHERE A MYSTERIOUS GEM AND A MYSTERIOUS GIRL ARE ABOUT TO START A CRAZY ADVENTURE!

A FEW DAYS
AGO...

SKA-KOOM!

YOU ARE FLYING
IN A RESTRICTED
ZONE! THIS IS YOUR
LAST WARNING!
SURRENDER OR
WE WILL OPEN
FIRE!

KPOW!

YOU DARE
THREATEN
ME?!

BLAM

DR. NEGA! THIS IS
YOUR FORTY-
SEVENTH ZONE
BORDER IN-
FRACTION! PULL
OVER!

**SKA-
KOOM!**

PING!

TREASURE TEAM TANGO

TODAY...

PART ONE: "THE SALIDA"

AND THIS, LADIES AND GENTLE-CHAO, IS FREEDOM HQ! OUR HOME-AWAY-FROM-HOME AND OUR BASE OF OPERATIONS!

HOW VERY EXCITING! ISN'T IT EXCITING, MOTHER?!

VANILLA
THE
RABBIT
CREAM'S
MOTHER

CREAM THE
RABBIT
DAINTY &
POLITE

AMY ROSE
HAMMER-SWINGING
HEROINE

IT'S
CERTAINLY...
RUSTIC. IT
FEELS...VERY
CASUAL.

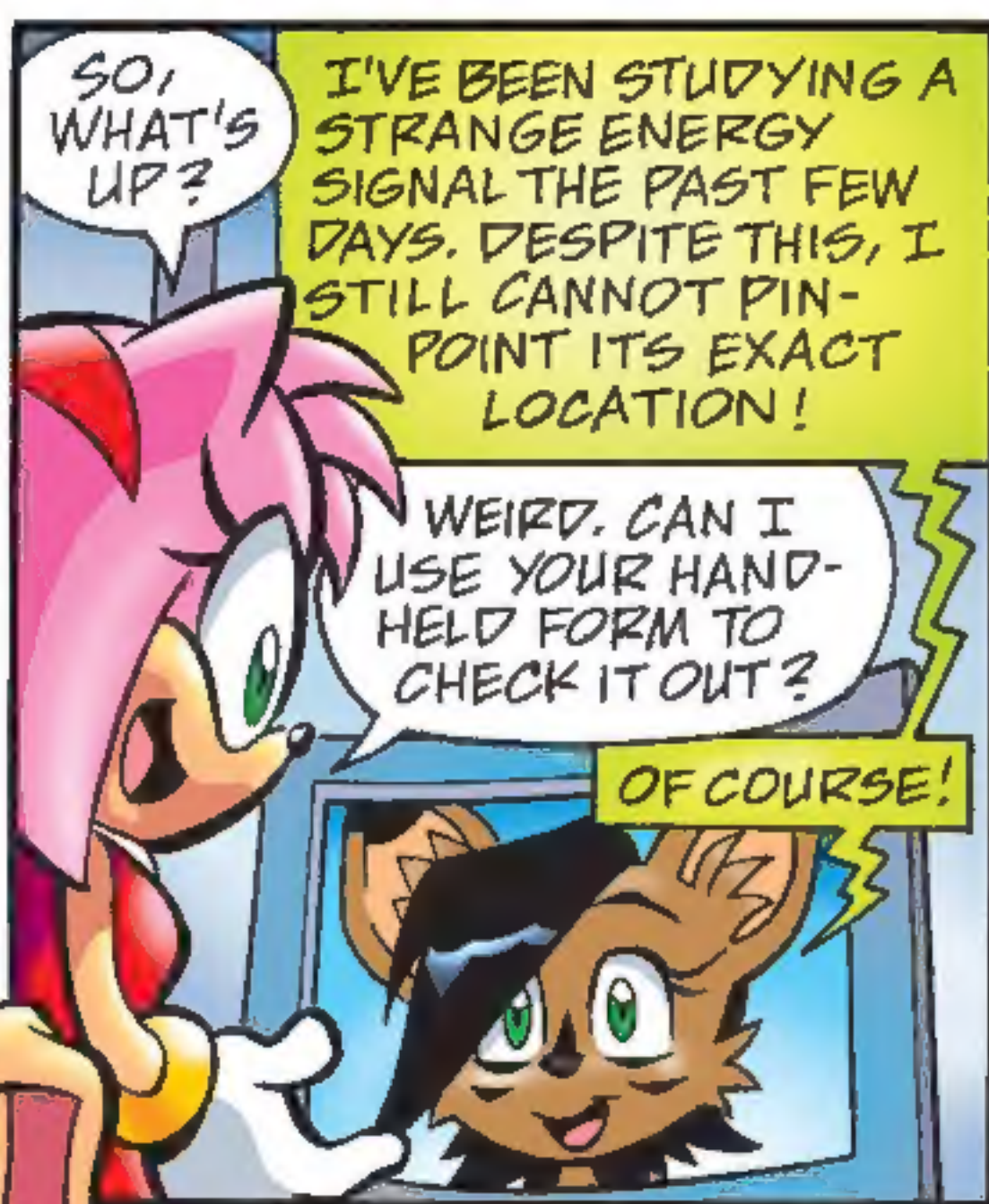
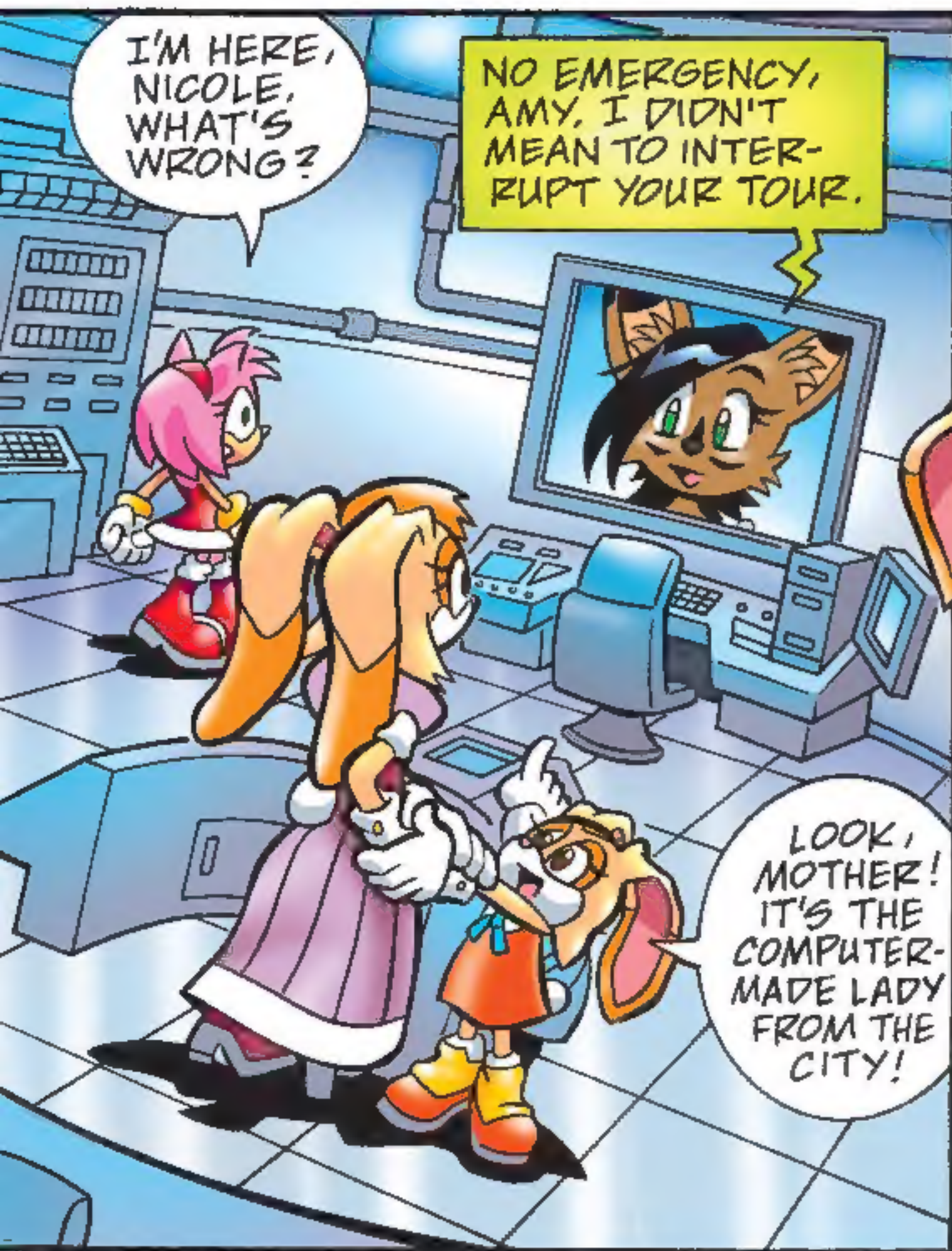
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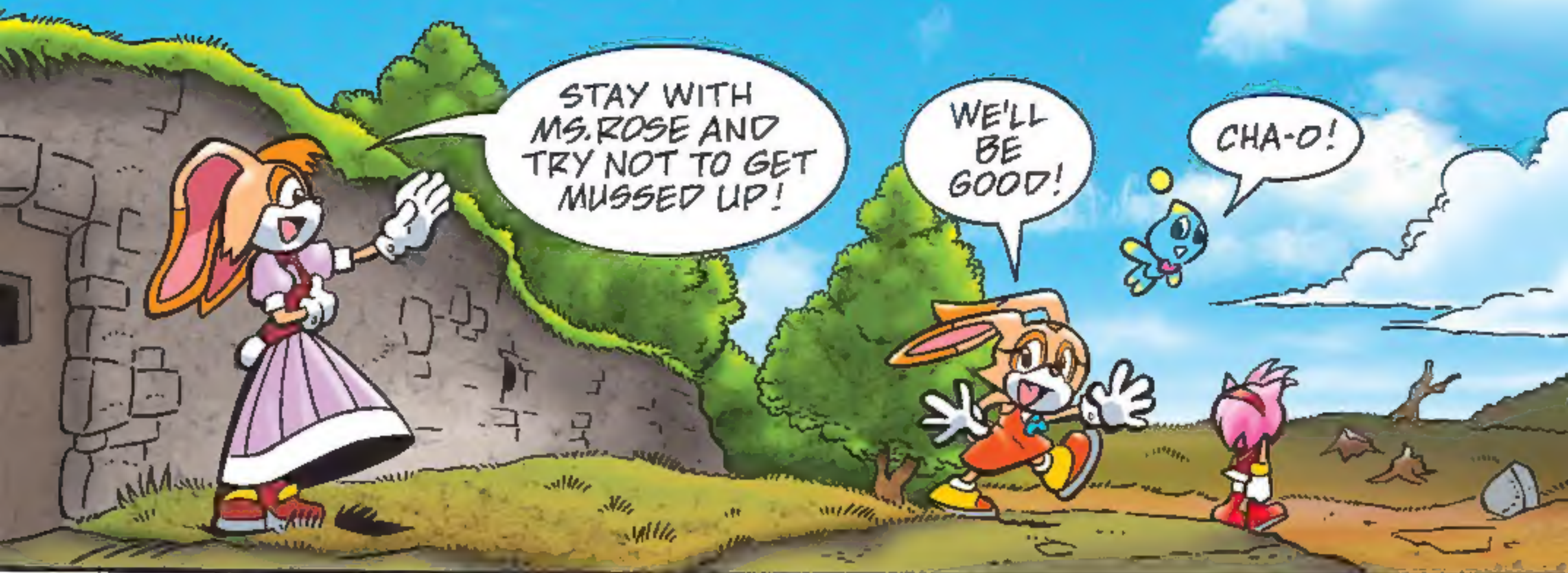
YOU EACH HAVE
YOUR OWN ROOM
HERE?

WE SURE
DO! IT'S PART
OF THE HALL-
WAY THAT
LEADS
TO--

HELLO?
IS ANY-
ONE
HERE?

--THE
LAB!

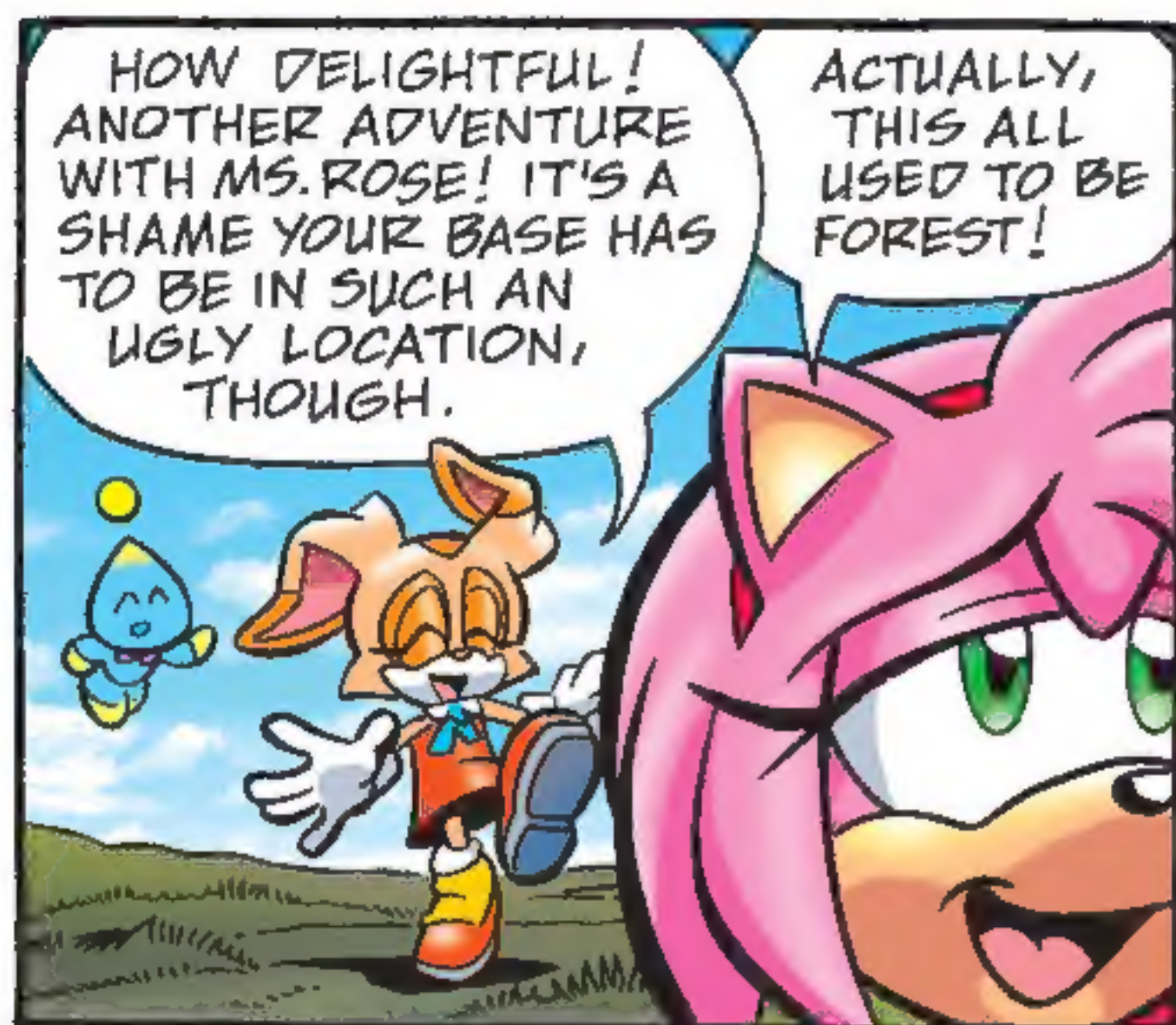




STAY WITH MS. ROSE AND TRY NOT TO GET MUSSSED UP!

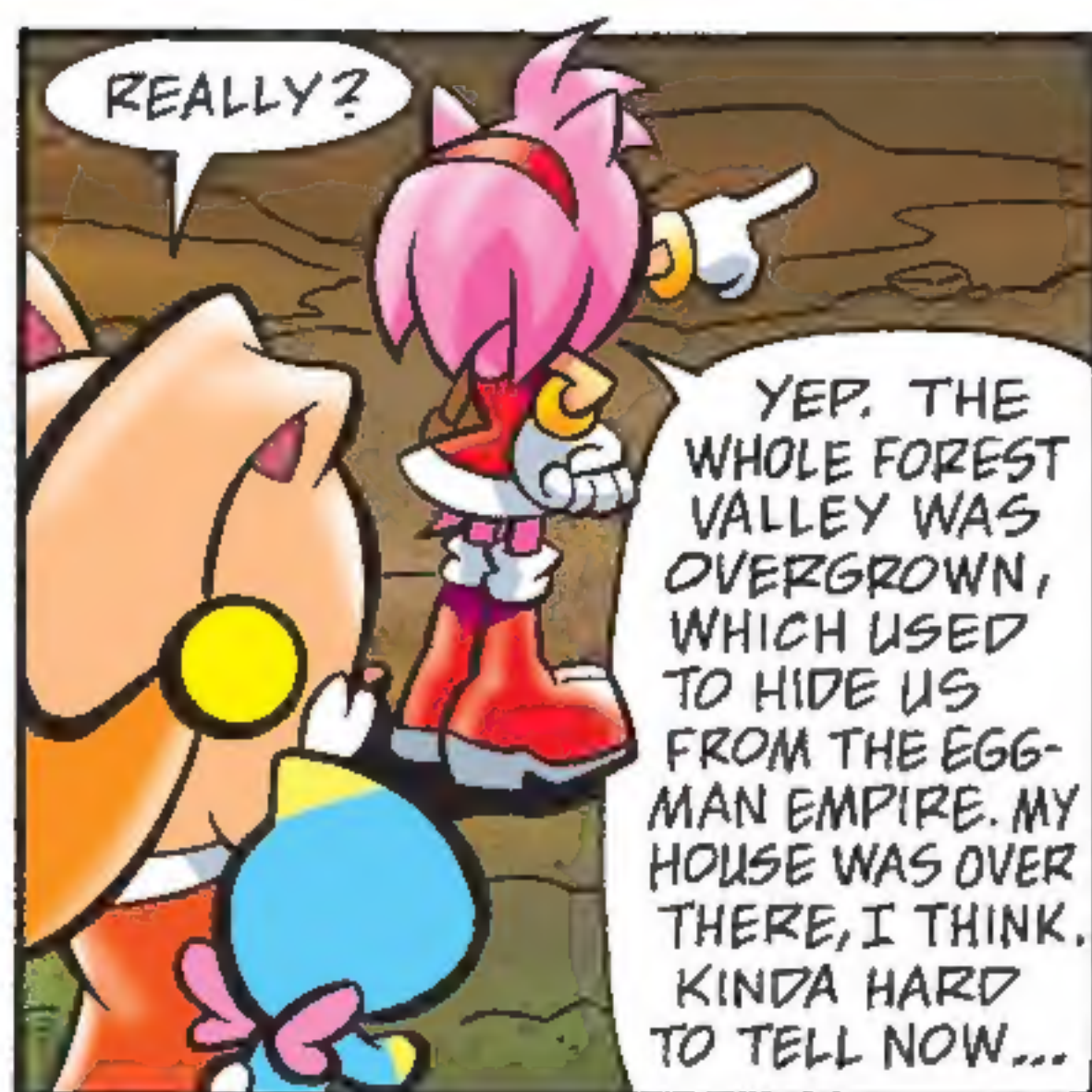
WE'LL BE GOOD!

CHA-O!



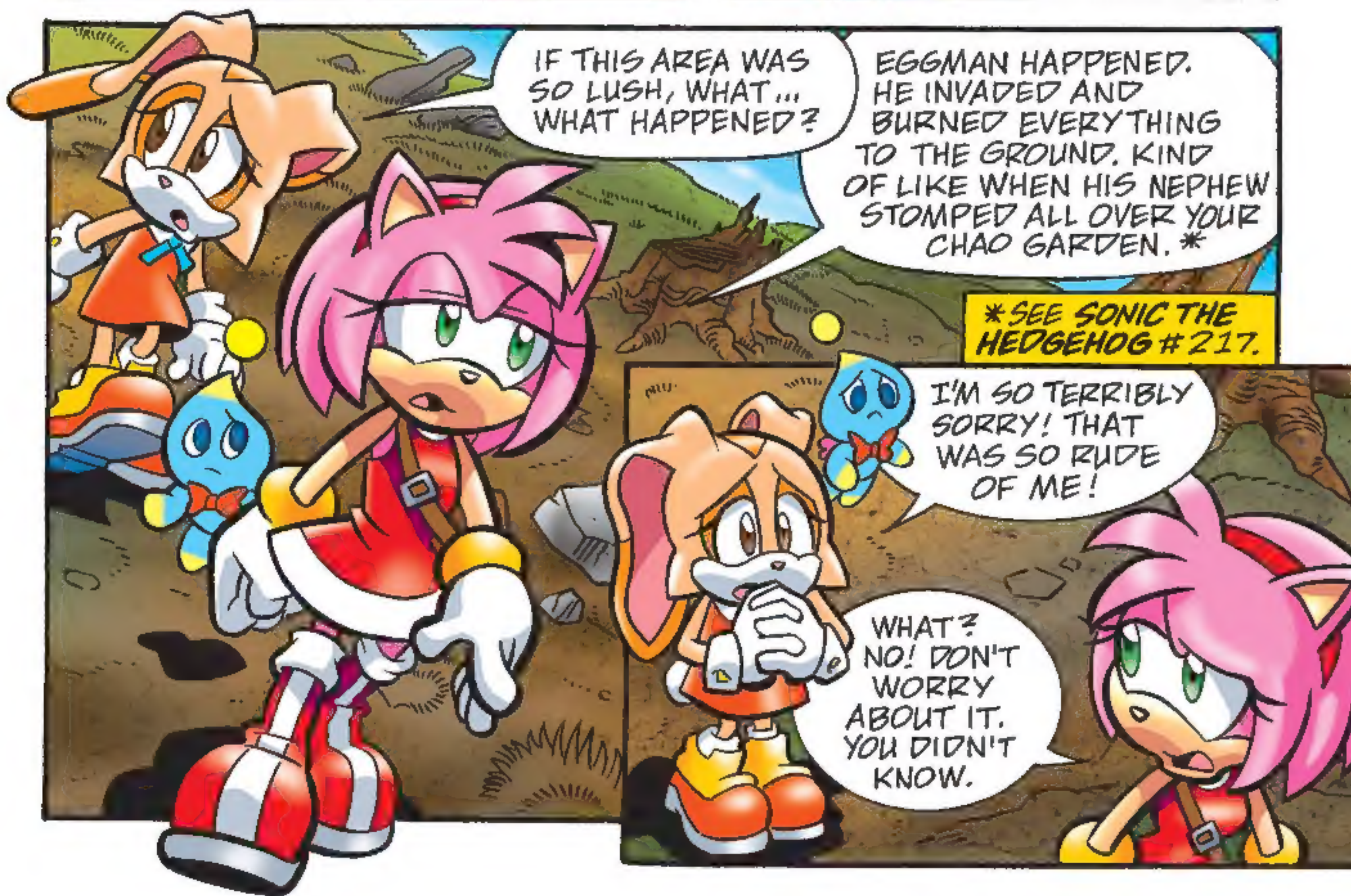
HOW DELIGHTFUL! ANOTHER ADVENTURE WITH MS. ROSE! IT'S A SHAME YOUR BASE HAS TO BE IN SUCH AN UGLY LOCATION, THOUGH.

ACTUALLY, THIS ALL USED TO BE FOREST!



REALLY?

YEP. THE WHOLE FOREST VALLEY WAS OVERGROWN, WHICH USED TO HIDE US FROM THE EGG-MAN EMPIRE. MY HOUSE WAS OVER THERE, I THINK. KINDA HARD TO TELL NOW...



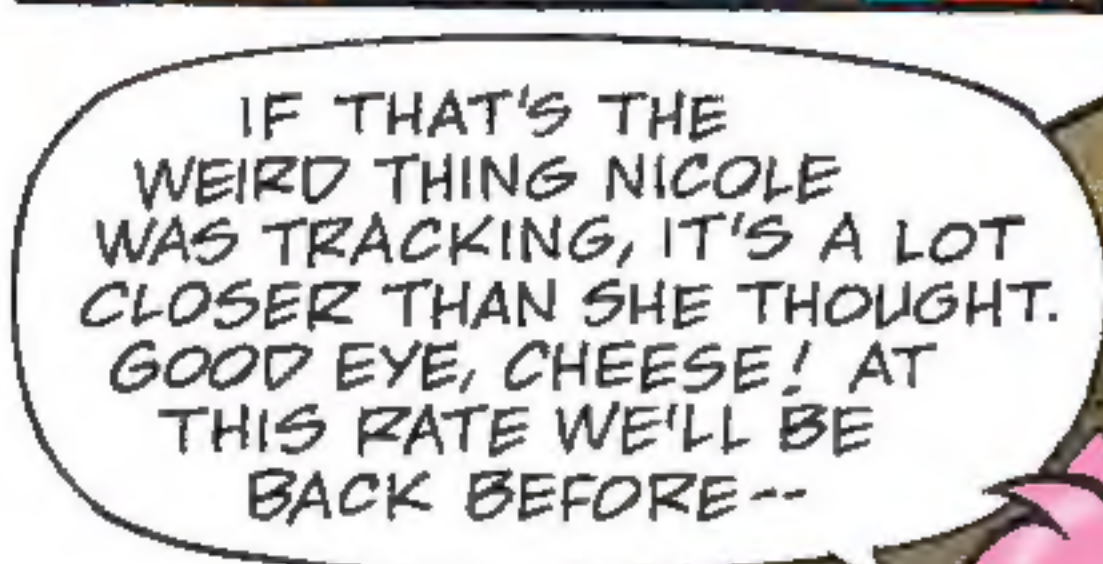
IF THIS AREA WAS SO LUSH, WHAT... WHAT HAPPENED?

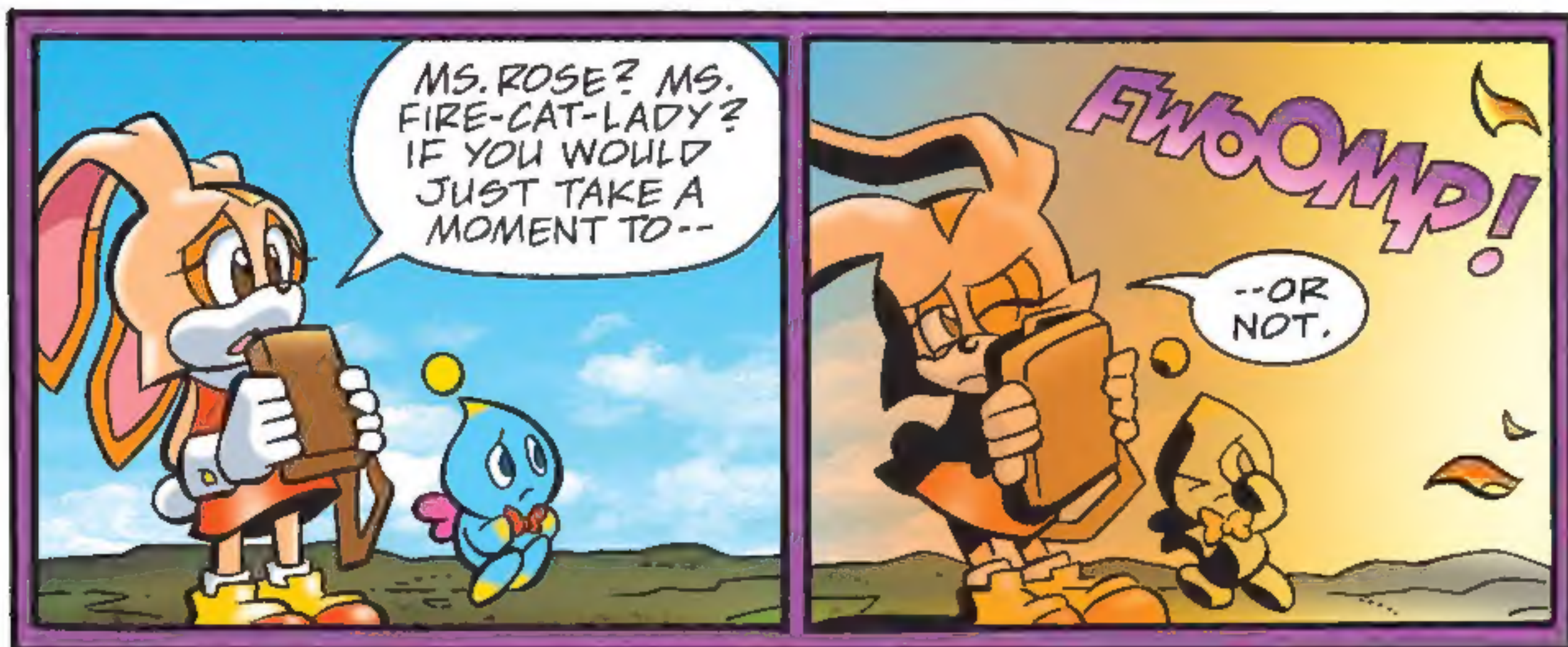
EGGMAN HAPPENED. HE INVADED AND BURNED EVERYTHING TO THE GROUND. KIND OF LIKE WHEN HIS NEPHEW STOMPED ALL OVER YOUR CHAO GARDEN. *

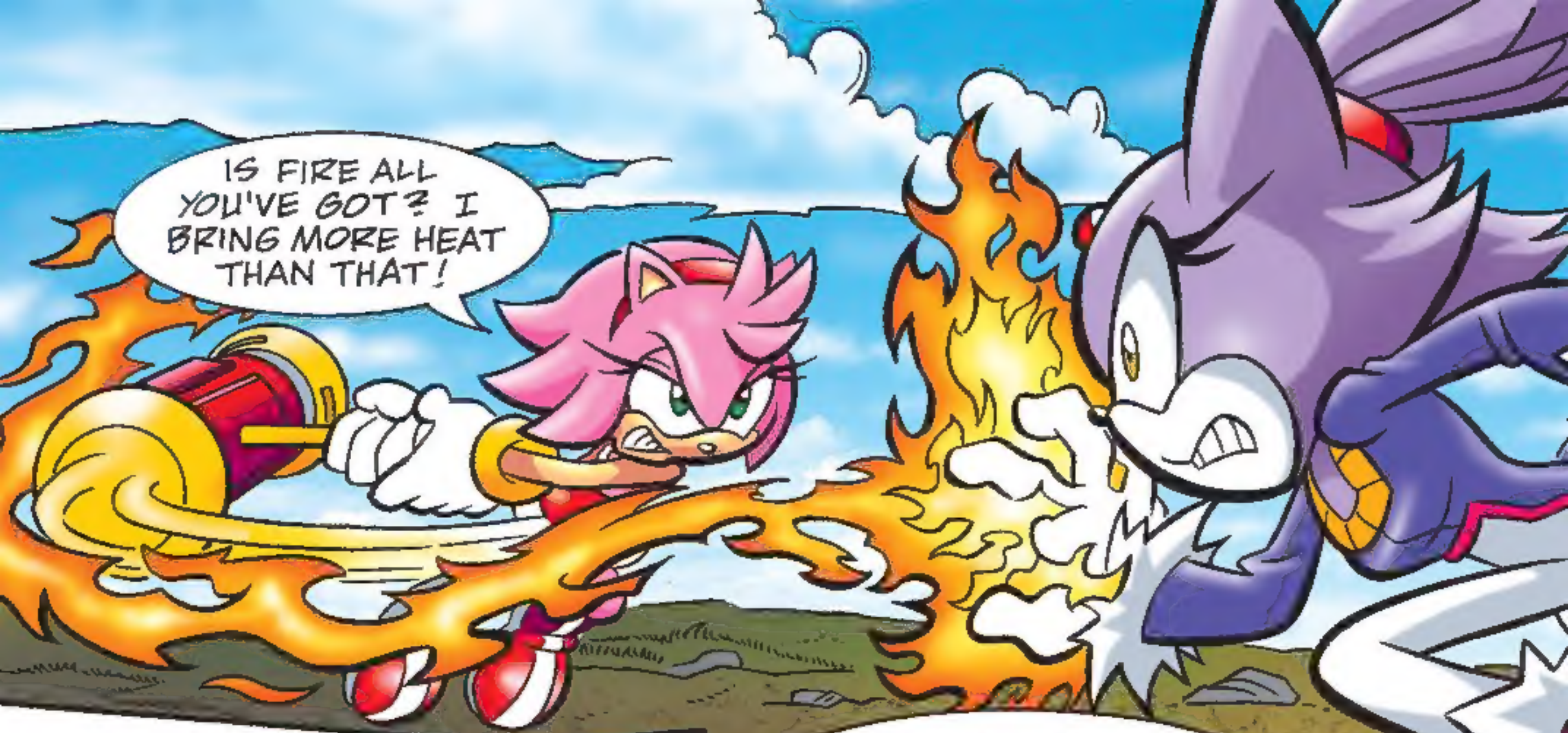
***SEE SONIC THE HEDGEHOG #217.**

I'M SO TERRIBLY SORRY! THAT WAS SO RUDE OF ME!

WHAT? NO! DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT. YOU DIDN'T KNOW.





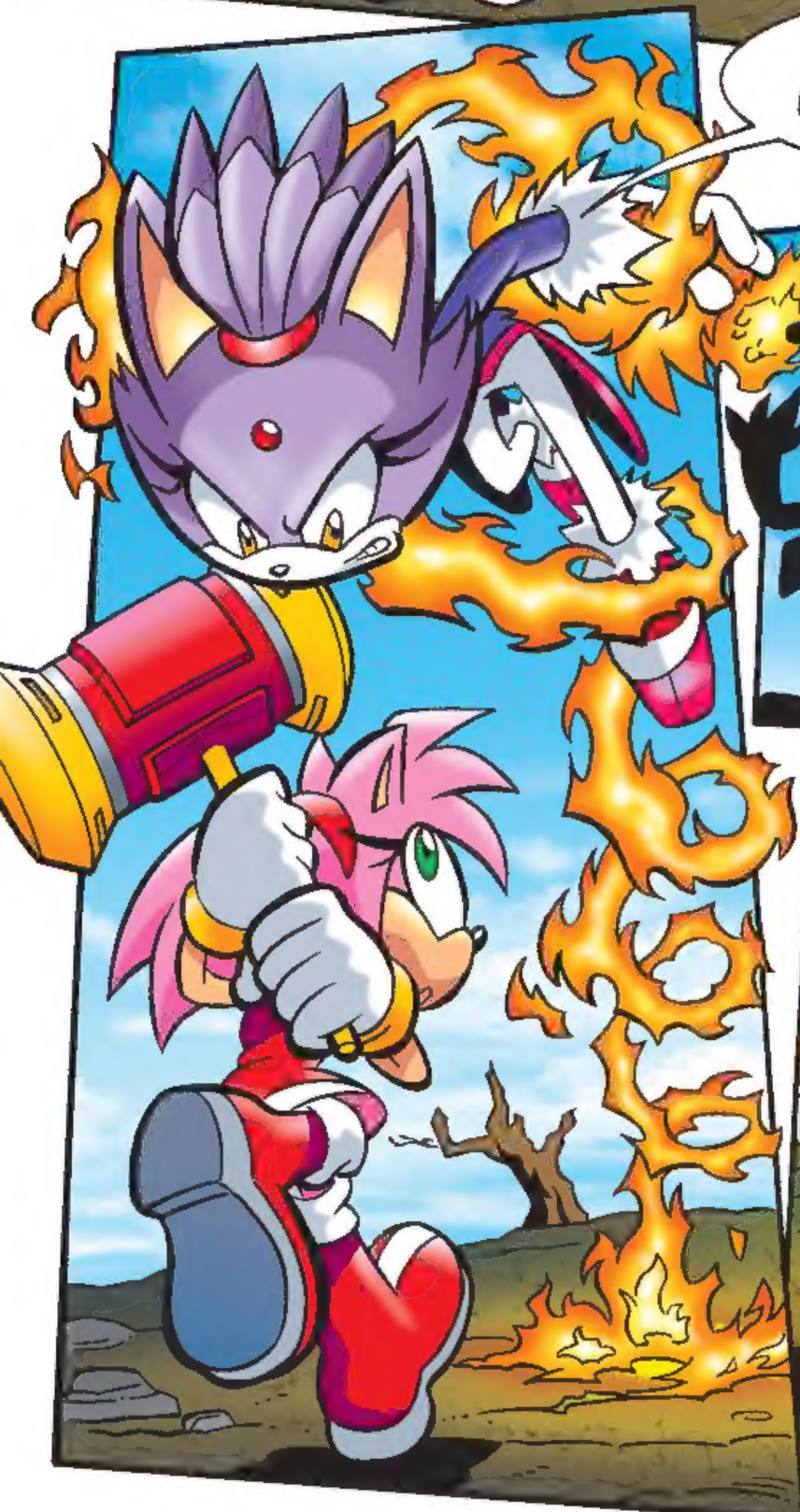


IS FIRE ALL YOU'VE GOT? I BRING MORE HEAT THAN THAT!

YOU WILL NEED MORE THAN A BIG HAMMER AND BIG WORDS TO STOP ME!

YEAH-- WELL--YOU--ARGH! HOW DOES SONIC KEEP UP ALL THIS MID-BATTLE BANTER?!

SONIC--?!

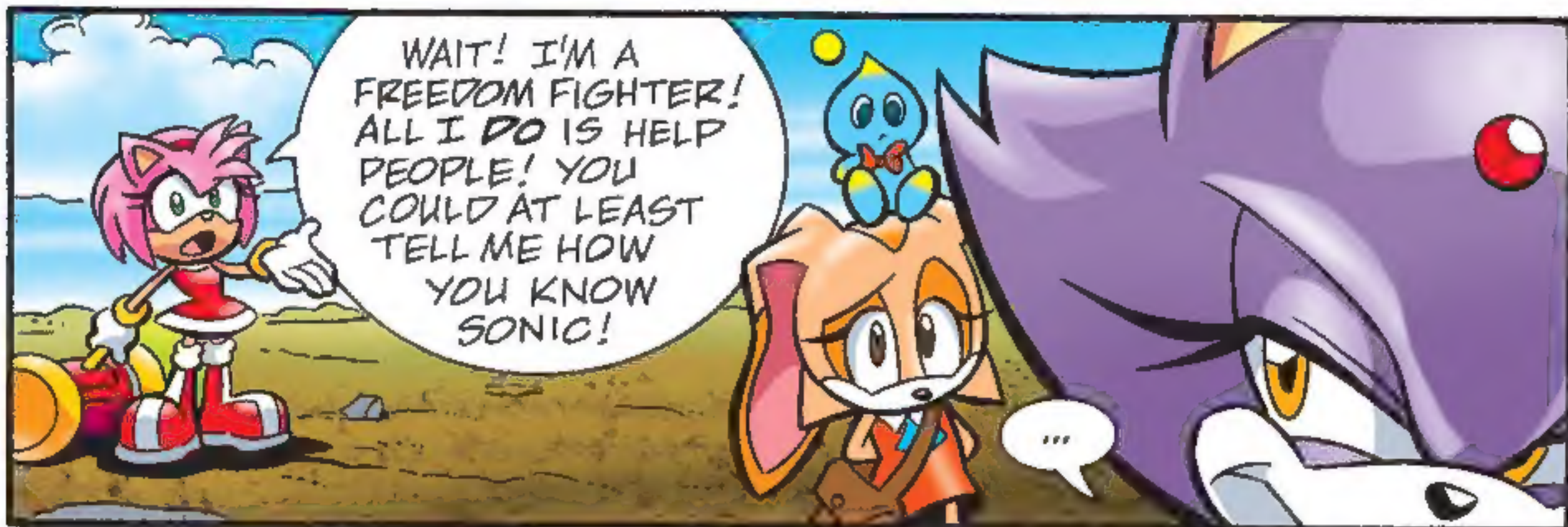
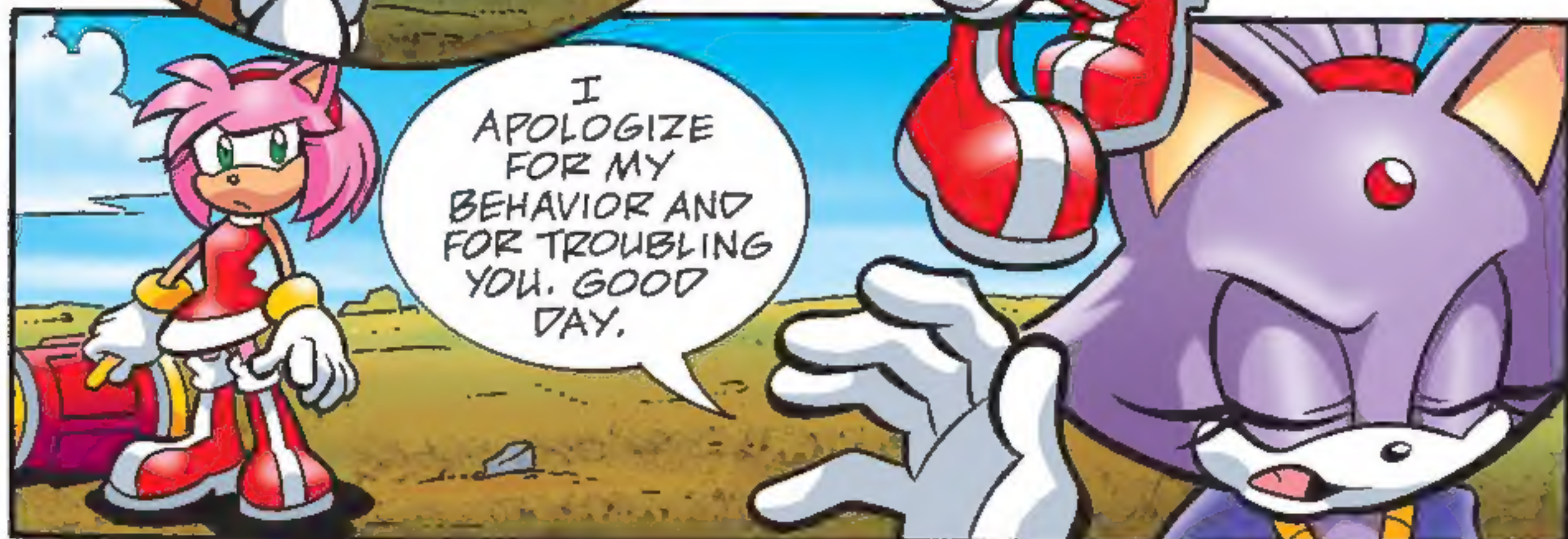
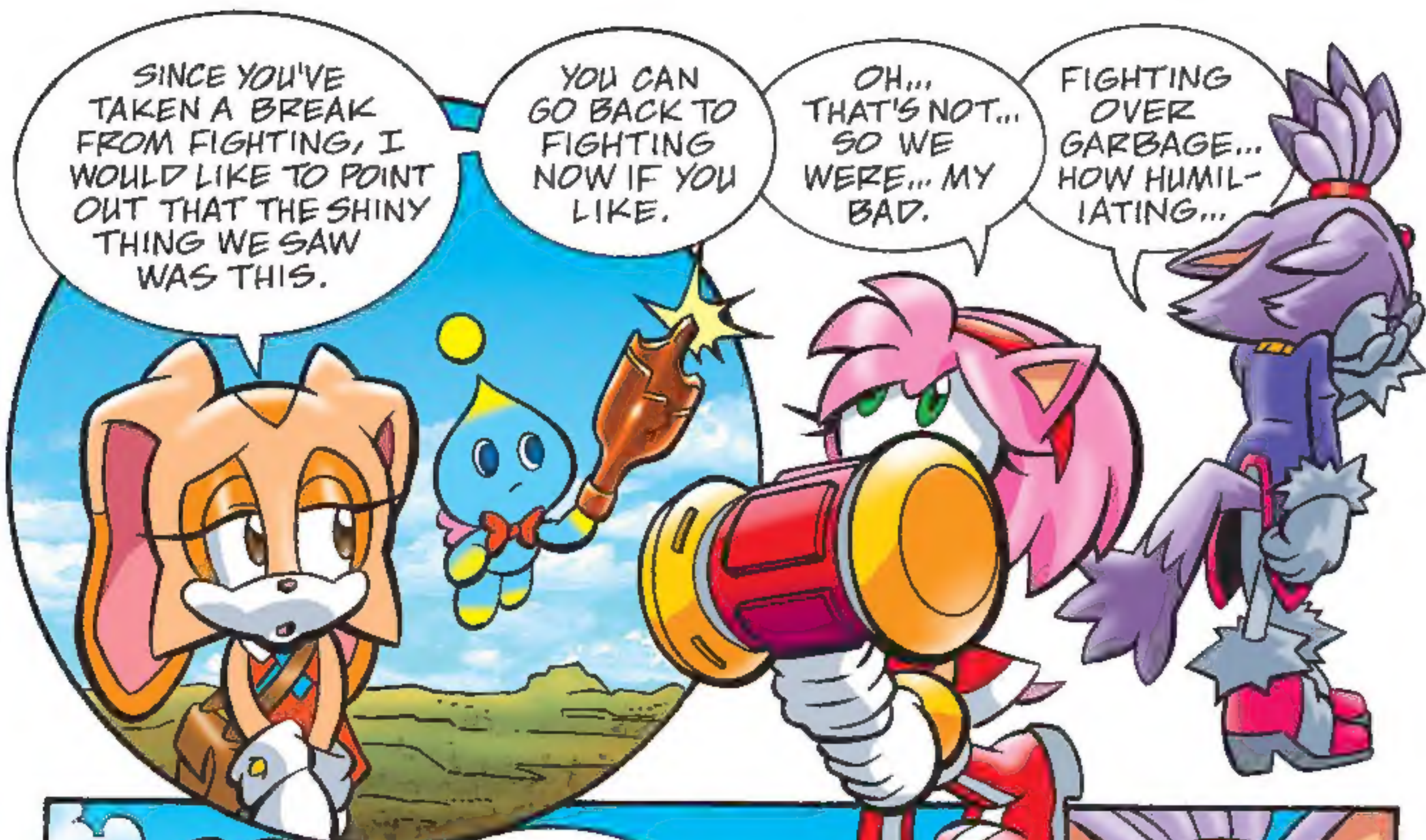


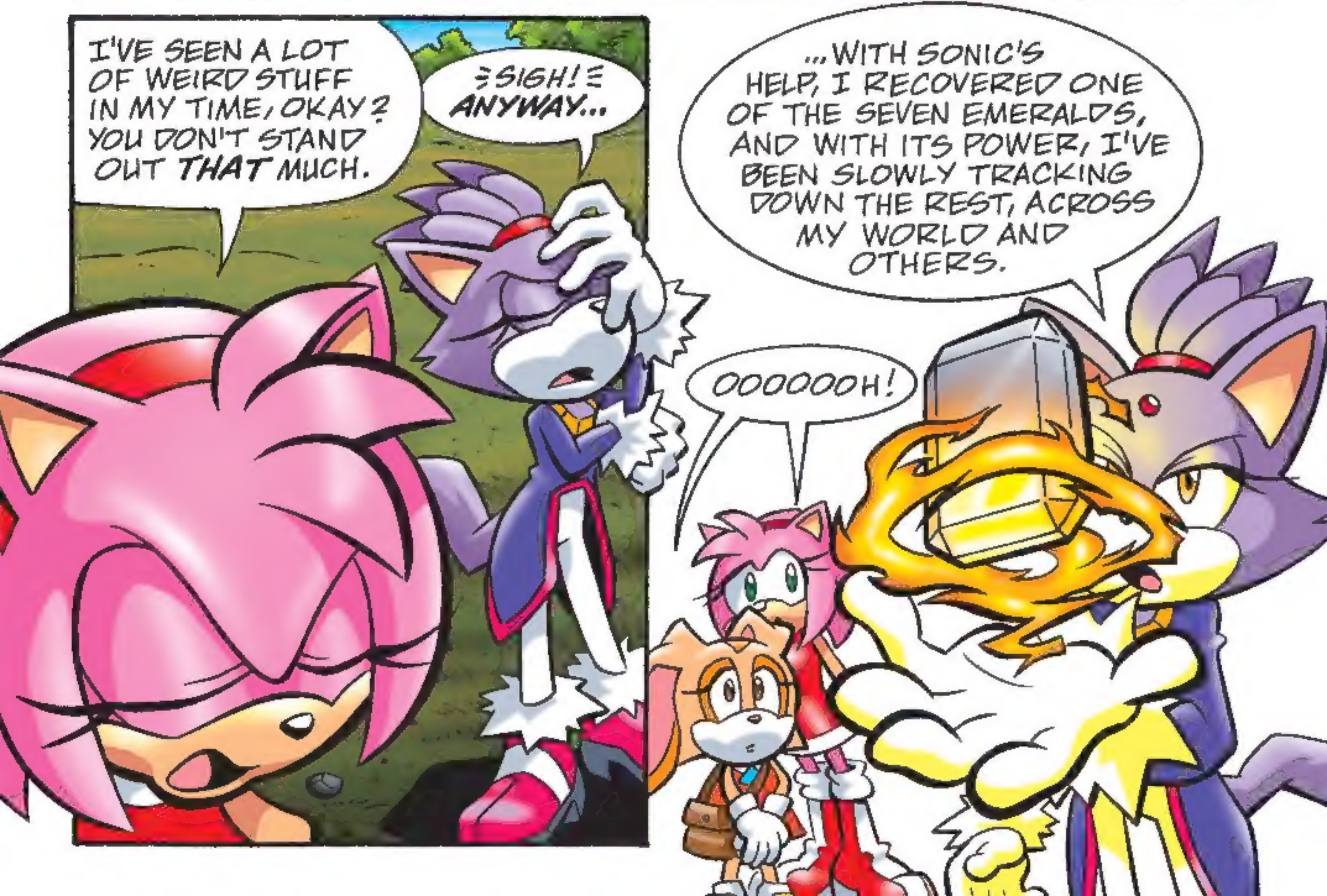
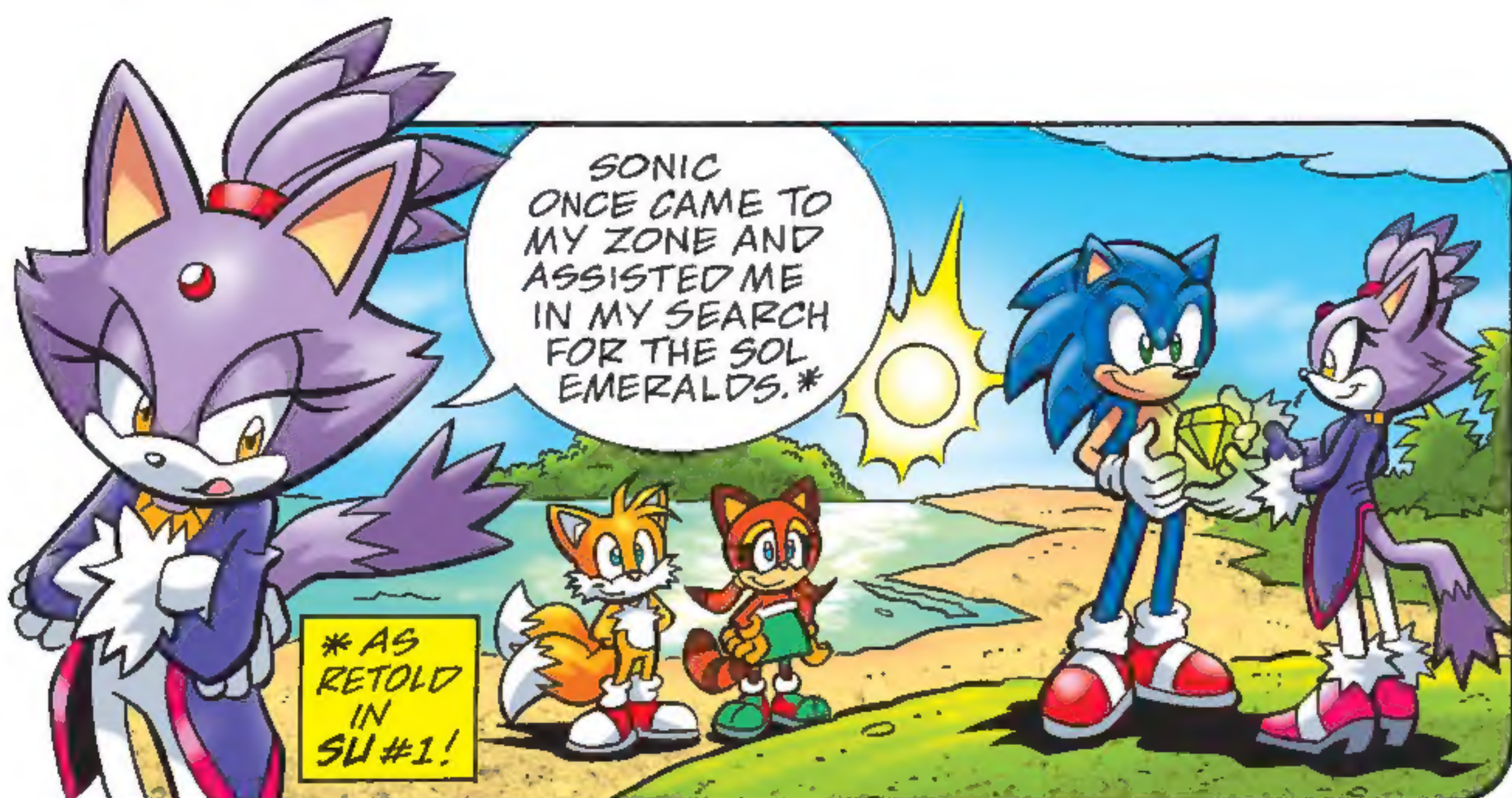
SONIC THE HEDGEHOG? HERO OF MOBIUS?

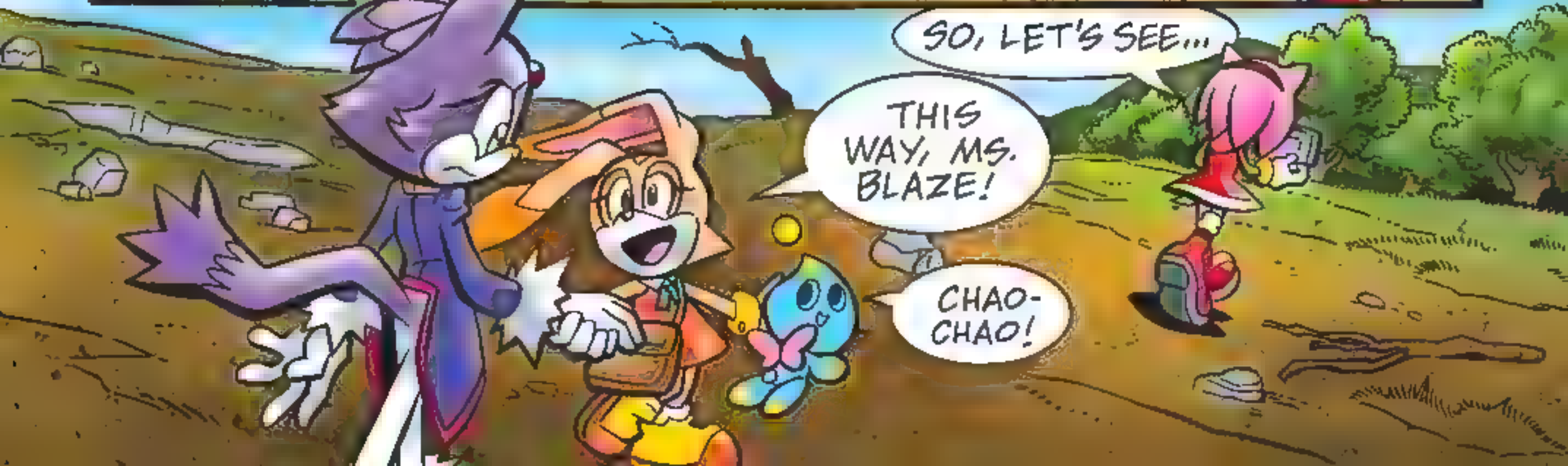
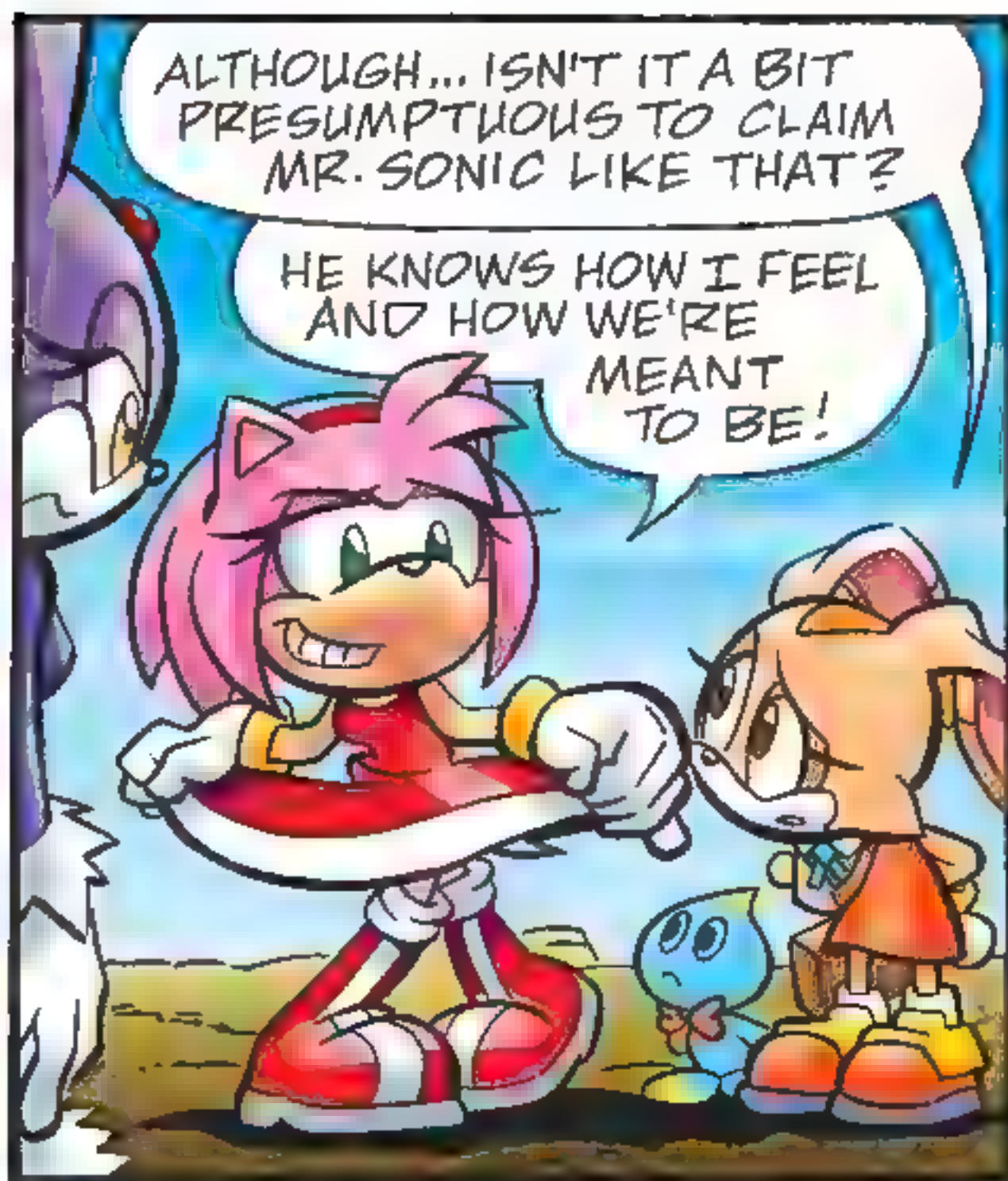
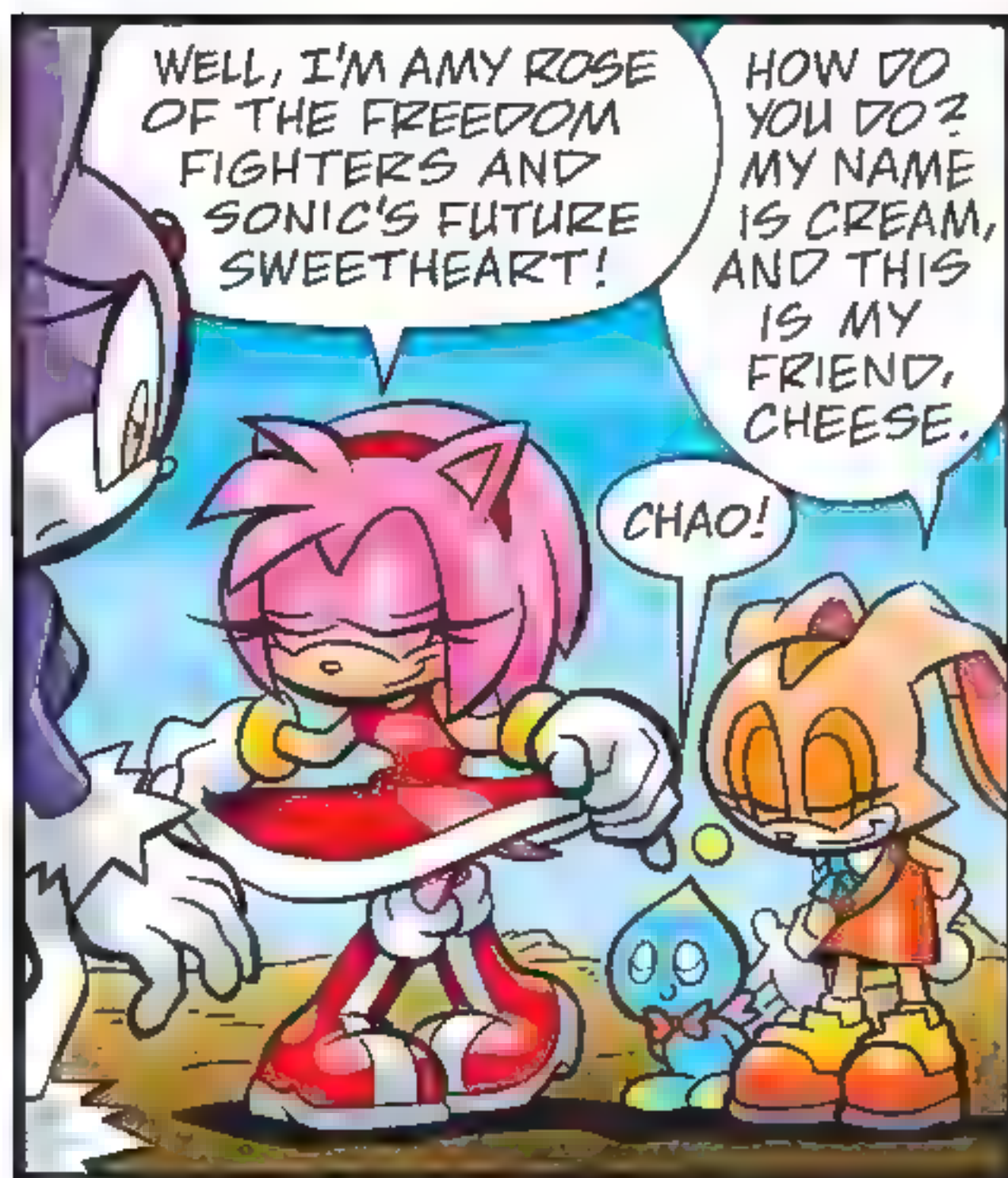
HOW DO YOU KNOW SONIC?

EXCUSE ME, PLEASE!









THE GREAT FOREST...

MAKE UP YOUR MIND, NICOLE, ARE WE GETTING CLOSER OR NOT?

IT'S DIFFICULT TO SAY. ONE MOMENT THE SIGNAL IS STRONG, THE NEXT IT'S ALMOST GONE COMPLETELY!

HEY, BLAZE! WHAT DOES YOUR GEM... ER... SAY?

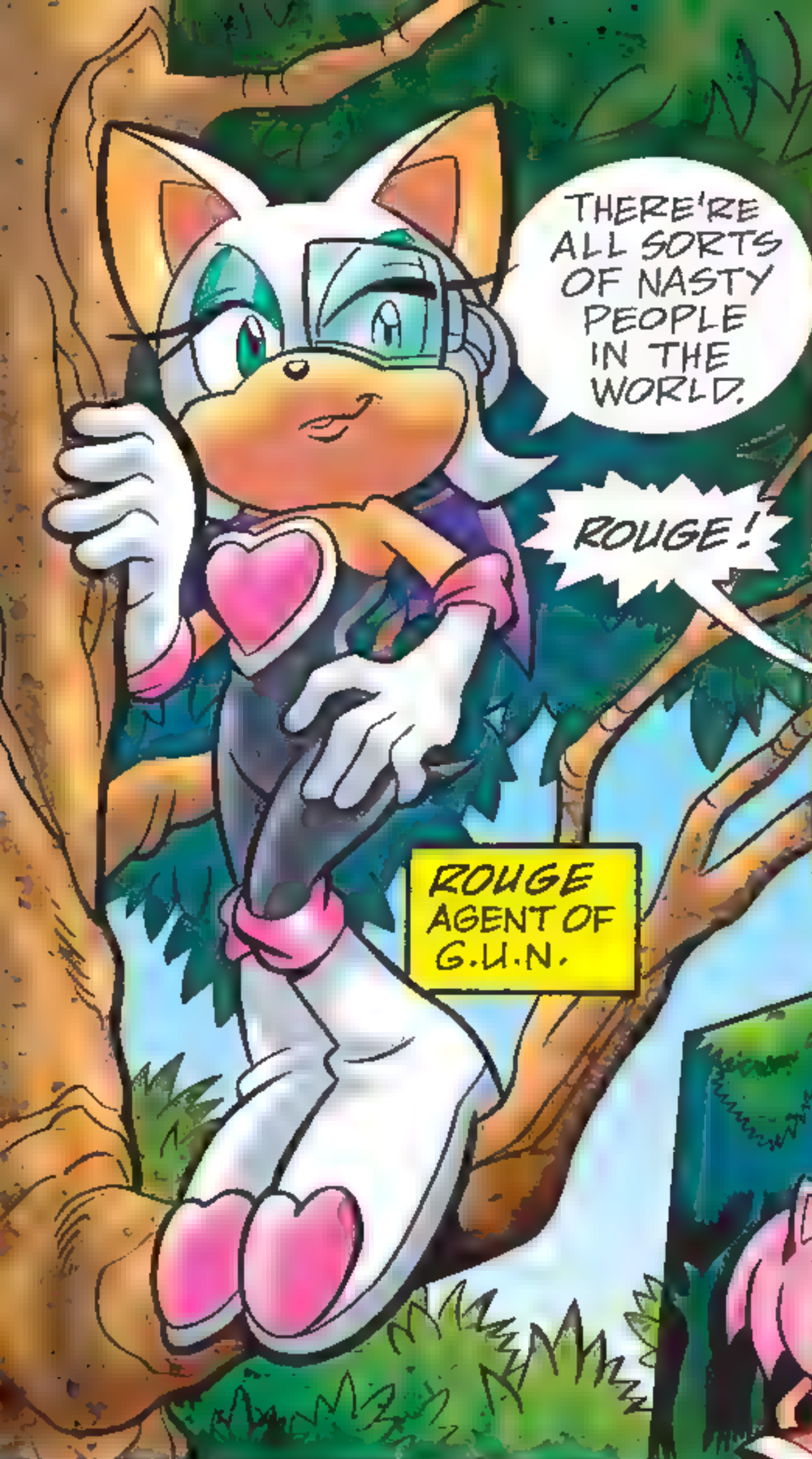
WHICH PARTS OF "WE'RE TRYING TO HELP" AND "WE'RE A TEAM" DID YOU MISS?

MY TRUST ISN'T SO EASILY WON!

BUT WE'RE THE GOOD GUYS! WE PROMISE!

SHE'S RIGHT TO BE CAUTIOUS.

FWOOP!



THERE'RE ALL SORTS OF NASTY PEOPLE IN THE WORLD.

ROUGE!

ROUGE
AGENT OF
G.U.N.



AT YOUR SERVICE!

YEAH, RIGHT. YOU ONLY CARE ABOUT GETTING WHAT YOU WANT!

AND WHAT I WANT IS TO HELP YOU GIRLS FIND THE SOL EMERALD!



AH-HA! YOU WERE SPYING ON US!

NOT AT ALL.

I'M FOLLOWING THE SAME ODD READINGS YOUR TEAM IS AFTER!

THAT, AND IT DOESN'T TAKE MUCH SPYING WHEN ANYONE WITHIN A HUNDRED FEET CAN HEAR YOU.



"HAVE YOU FOUND THE SOL EMERALD YET?"
"HOW ABOUT NOW?"

CREAM? HOLD NICOLE FOR A MINUTE.

LET'S NOT FIGHT AGAIN, MS. ROSE! IS IT REALLY SO HARD TO BELIEVE MS. ROUGE IS HERE TO HELP?



YES.

OH, PLEASE. I'M PLENTY TRUSTWORTHY.



NO WAY!
YOU'RE A
SPY!



A SPY
FOR G.U.N.
YOUR ALLY.
REMEMBER?



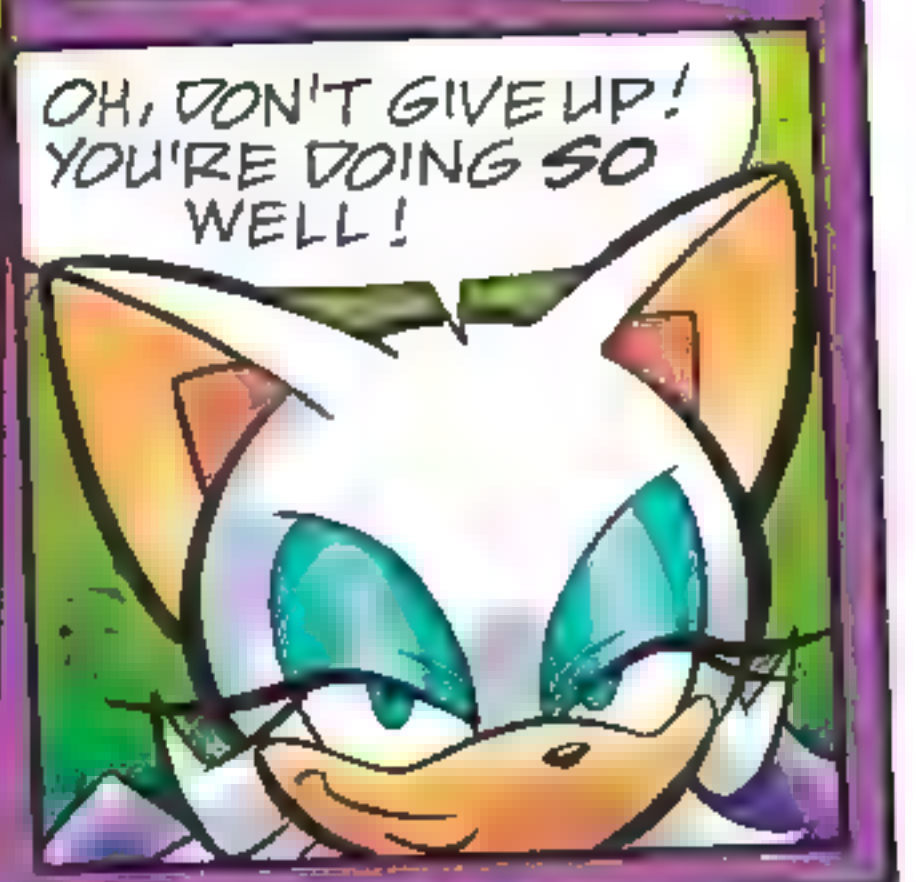
YOU'RE
AS SHADY
AS THEY
COME!



NO WORSE THAN
FIONA, AND YOU
LET HER ON
YOUR TEAM!



I--- BUT---
YOU---



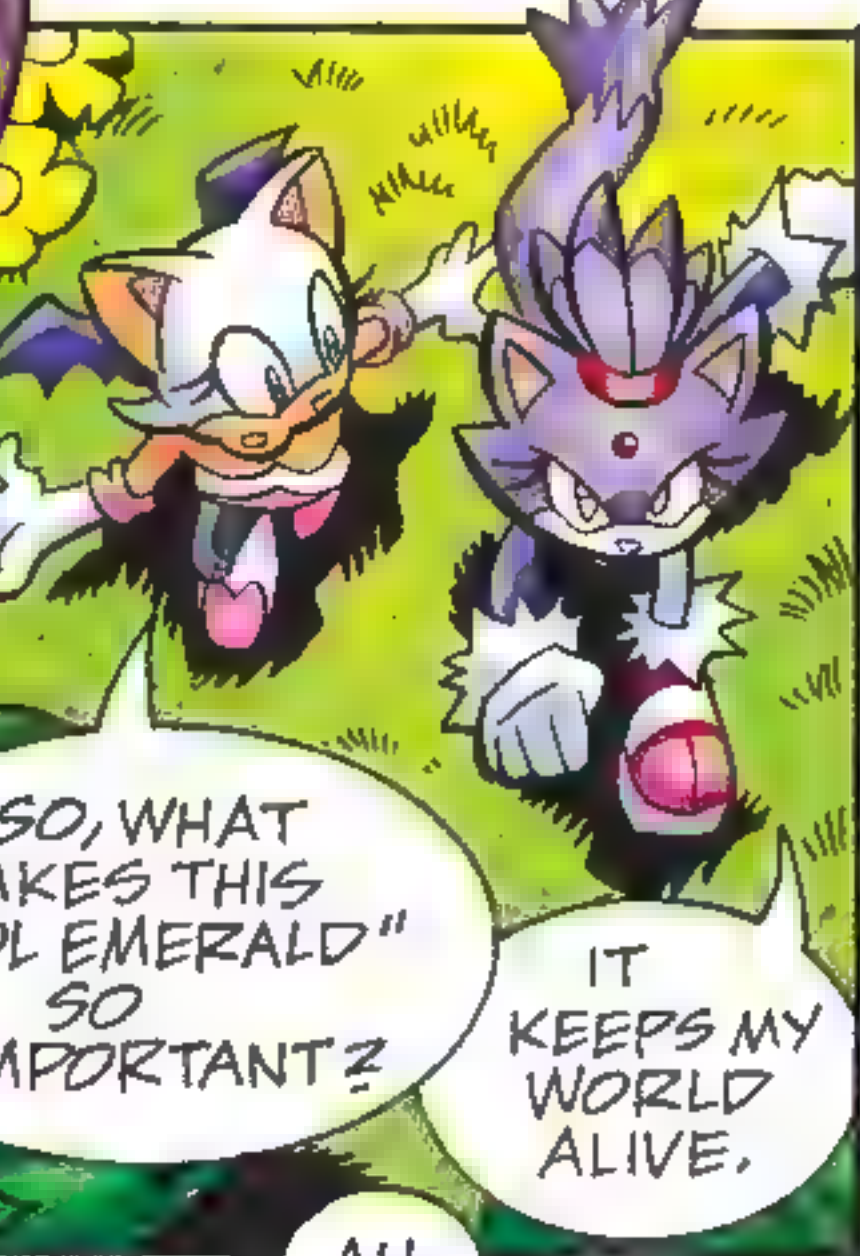
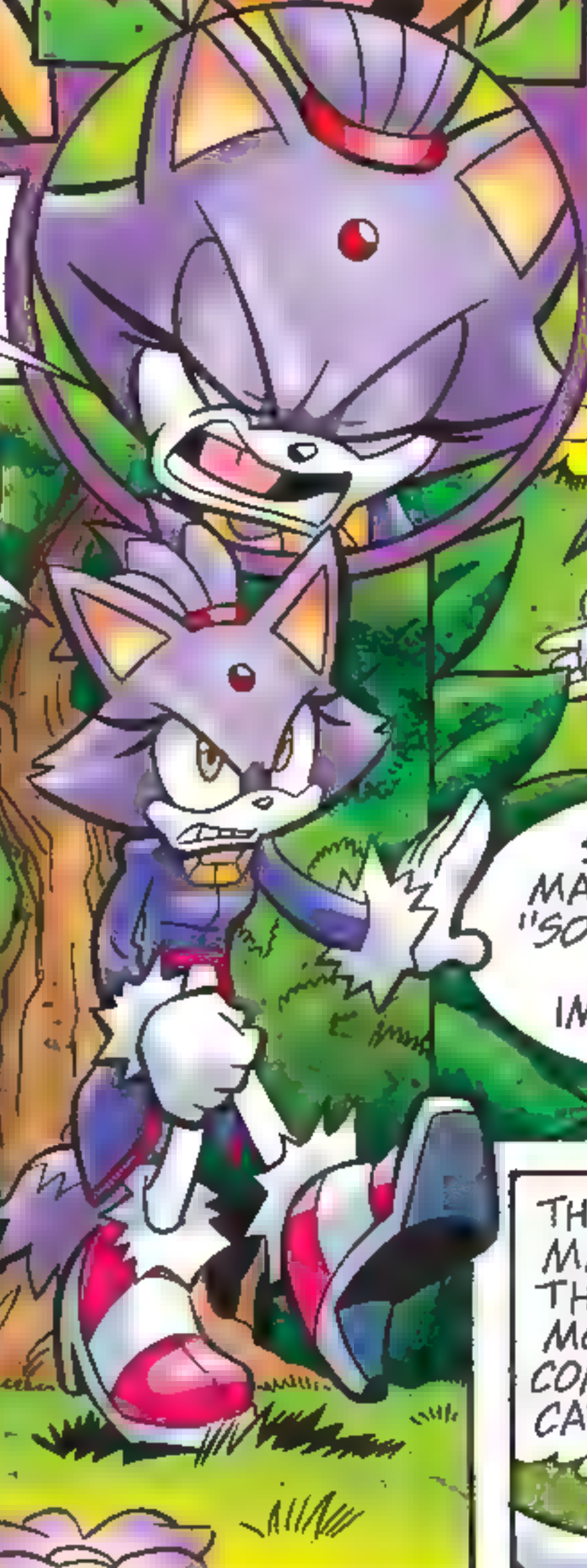
OH, DON'T GIVE UP!
YOU'RE DOING SO
WELL!

ENOUGH!

I DON'T CARE WHO
ANY OF YOU ARE!
EITHER BE OF
ASSISTANCE OR GET
OUT OF MY WAY!



YES, MA'AM!
WAY TO TAKE
COMMAND!



SO, WHAT
MAKES THIS
"SOL EMERALD"
SO
IMPORTANT?

IT
KEEPS MY
WORLD
ALIVE.

AH.



THAT WILL
MAKE
THINGS
MORE
COMPLI-
CATED...

...DON'T
CARE...?



WHOO!
ENERGY SPIKE!
THIS HAS GOT
TO BE THE
PLACE!

NICOLE?

AGREED,
WHATEVER WE
ARE TRACKING
IS AT THE
BOTTOM OF
THE RAVINE.

THAT TREE
LOOKS AWFULLY
OLD... AND
BRITTLE...

THAT WORKS,
TOO. I'LL FLY
YOU DOWN.

CREEEEEEAAK!

I'LL SPARE
YOUR TEAM
THE DANGER
AND GO
ALONE. I
WON'T BE
LONG.

NO. I WOULD
MUCH RATHER
RETRIEVE IT
MYSELF, THANK
YOU.

CREEEEEEAAK!

YOU DO
THAT. I
WANTED
TO GO
WITH
CREAM
ANYWAY.

REALLY?





CHAO-O...
CHAO CHAO-
CHAO!

CHEESE,
NO! YOU
CAN'T STOP
IT ON YOUR
OWN!



M-M-MS.
ROSE...?

WE CAN DO
THIS, CREAM!
ON "THREE" YOU
SWING ME UP
AND I'LL--

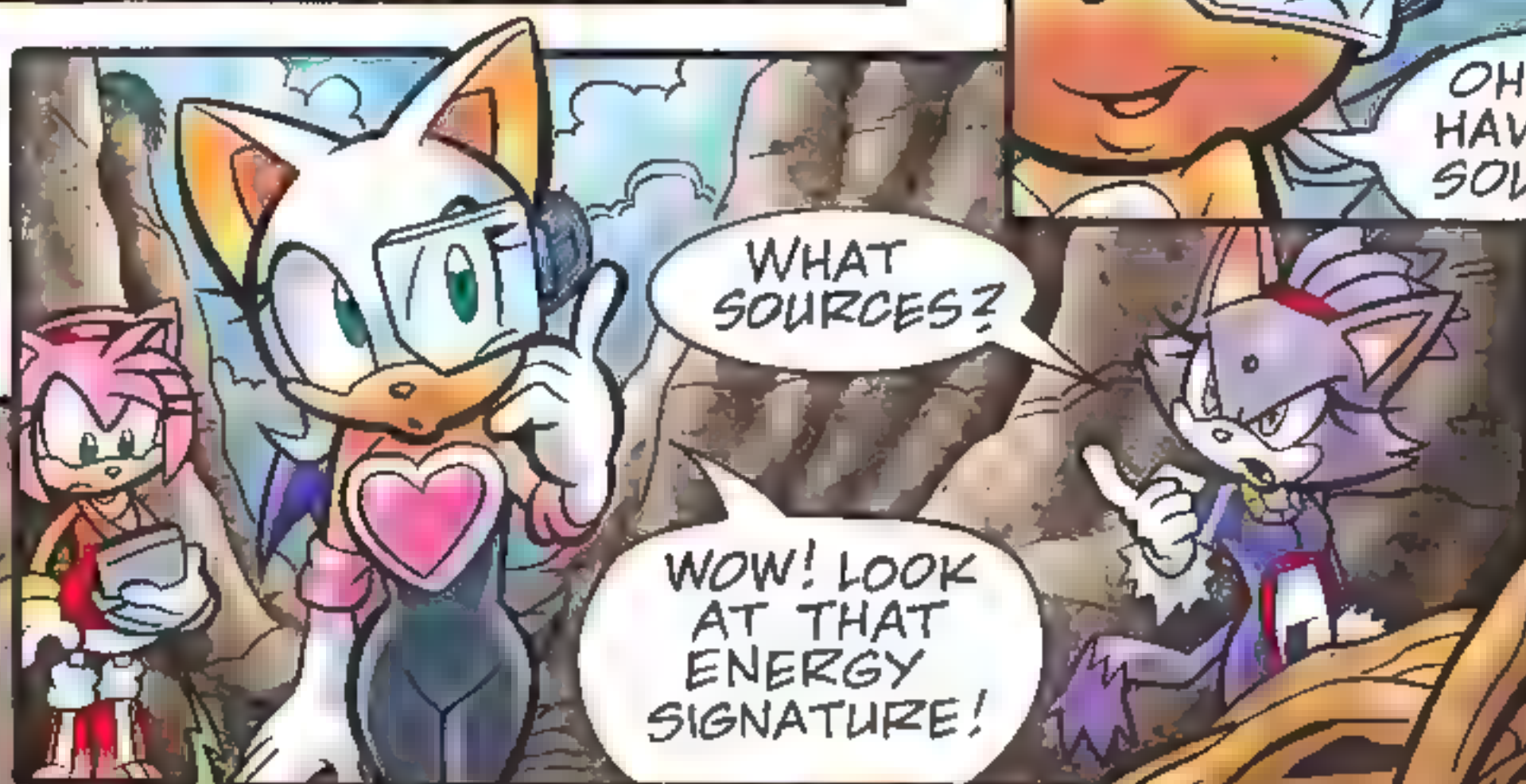
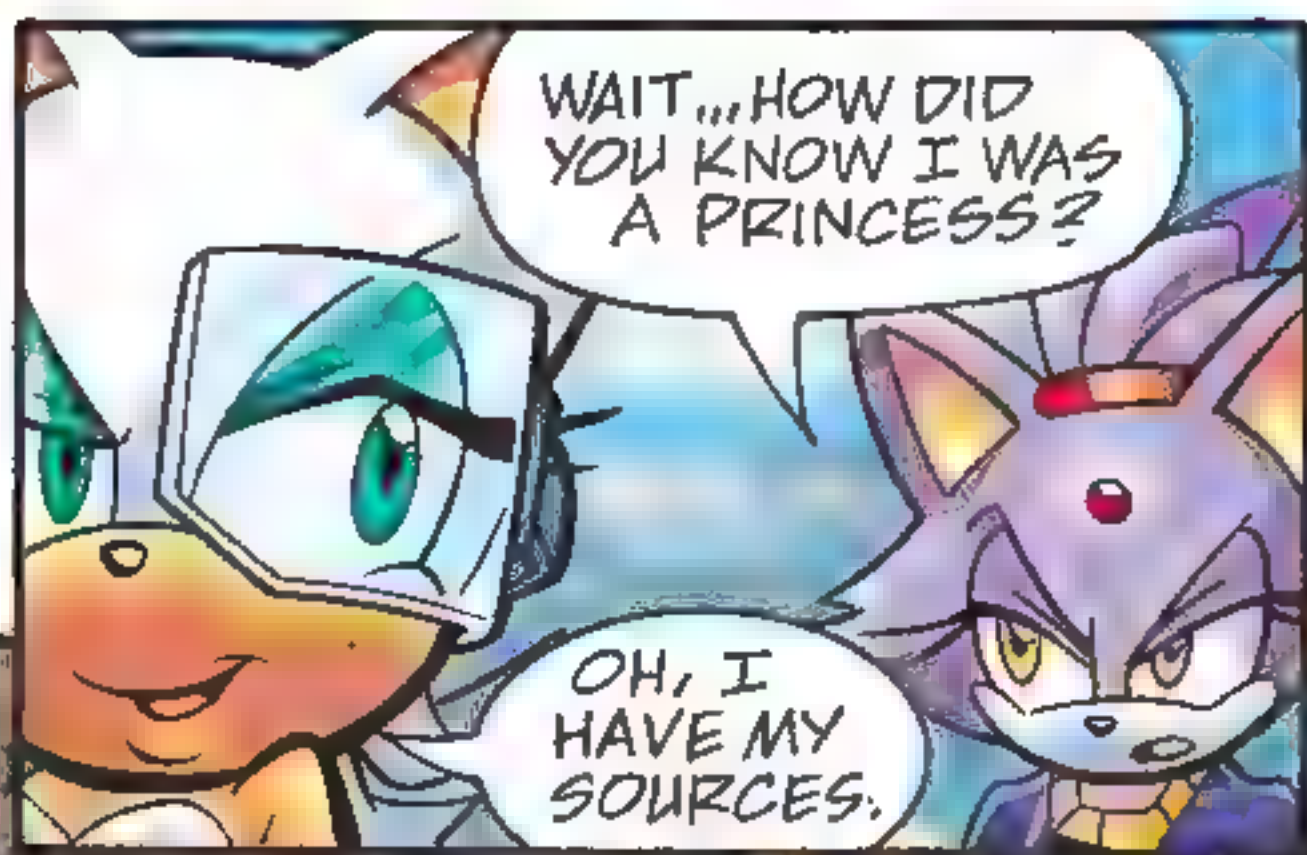
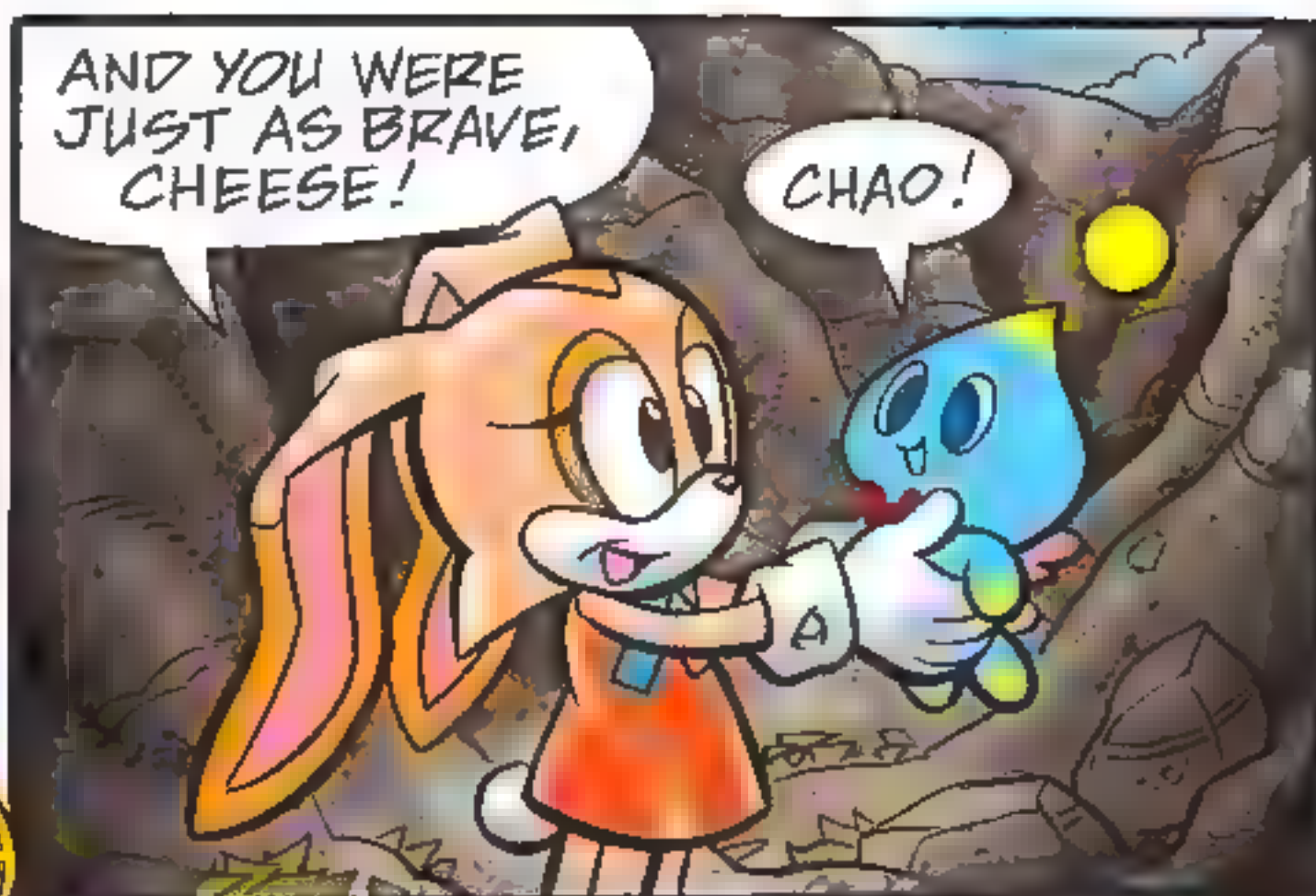


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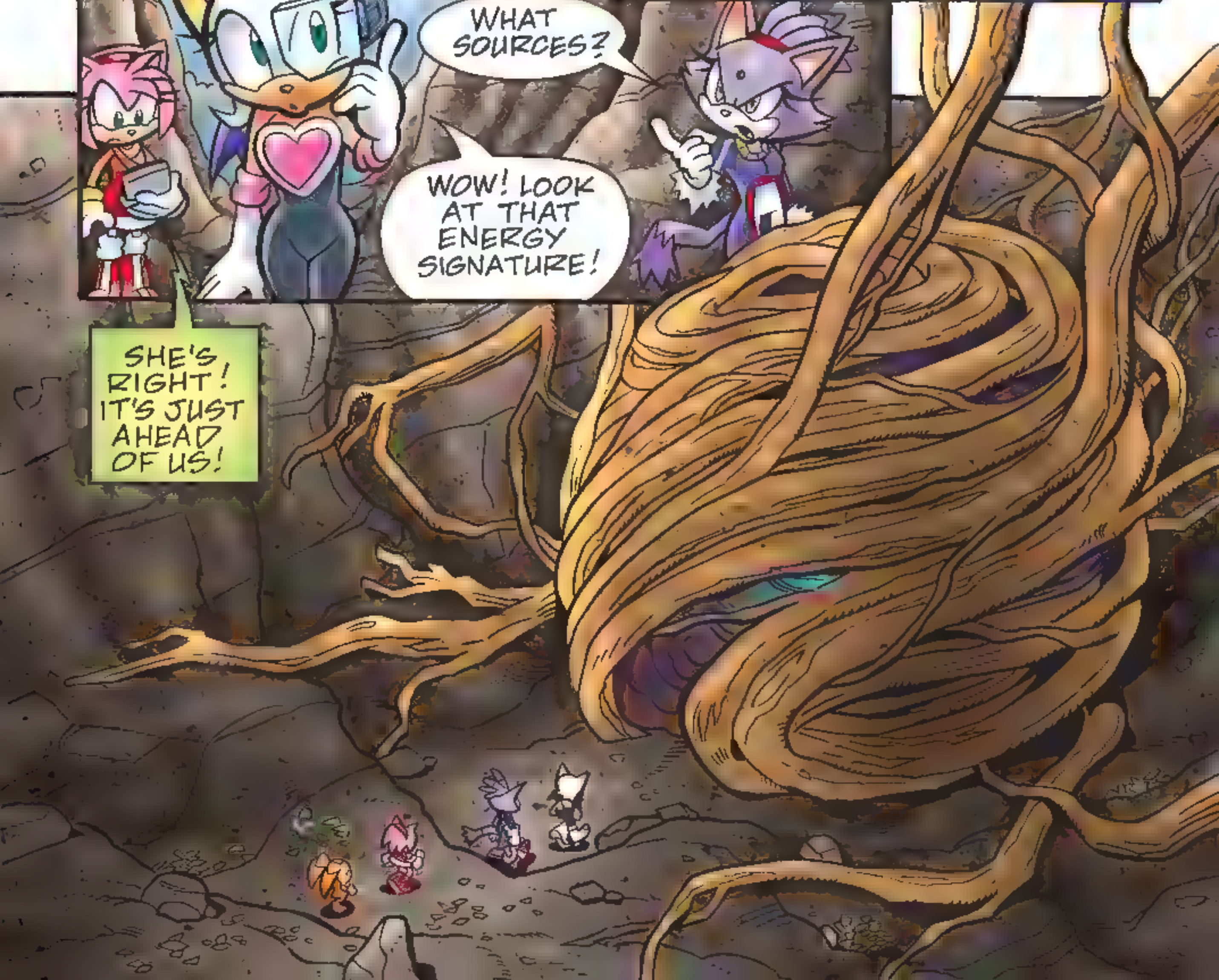
FWASH!

FWASH!

WOW.



SHE'S RIGHT!
IT'S JUST AHEAD OF US!





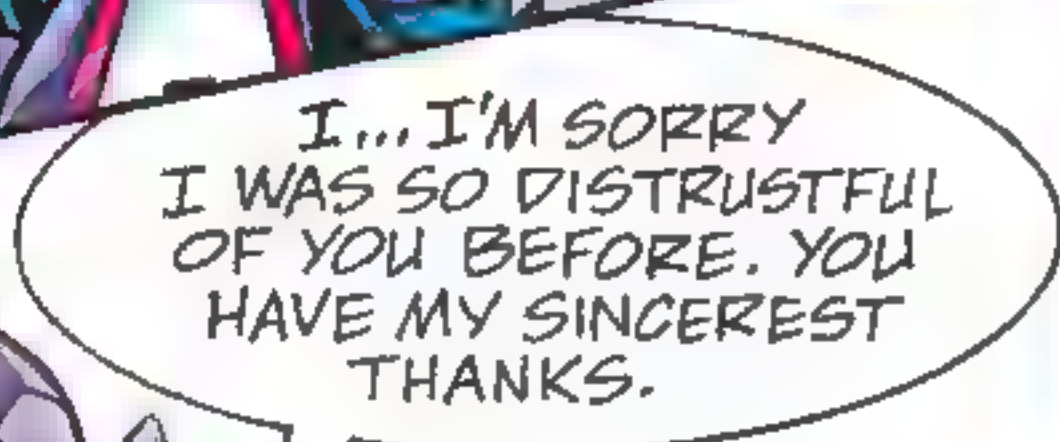
THERE IT IS!



THAT OBJECT AROUND THE EMERALD SEEMS TO BE TRYING TO MASK THE ENERGY SIGNATURE.



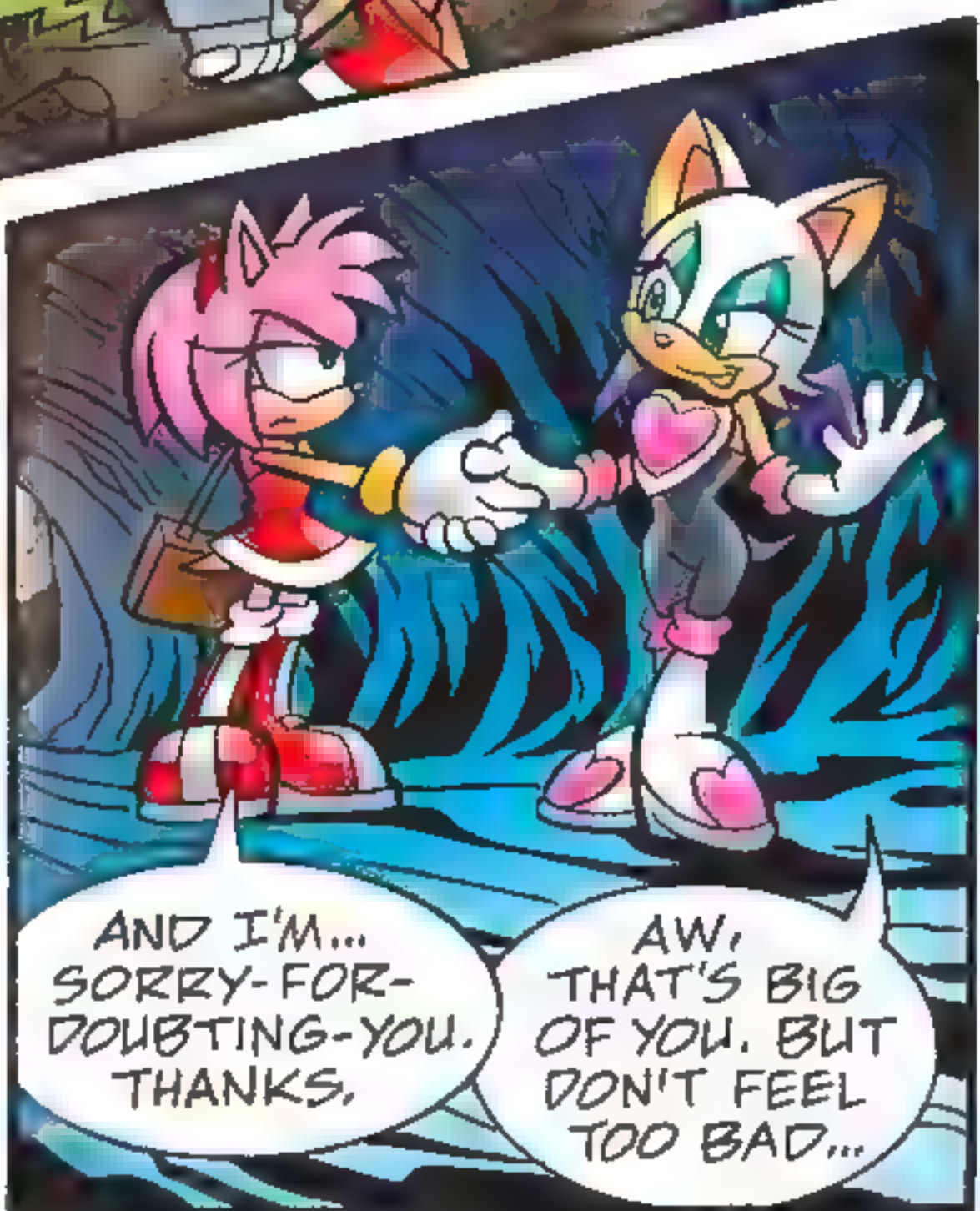
THAT EXPLAINS ALL THE WEIRD READINGS.



I... I'M SORRY I WAS SO DISTRUSTFUL OF YOU BEFORE. YOU HAVE MY SINCEREST THANKS.

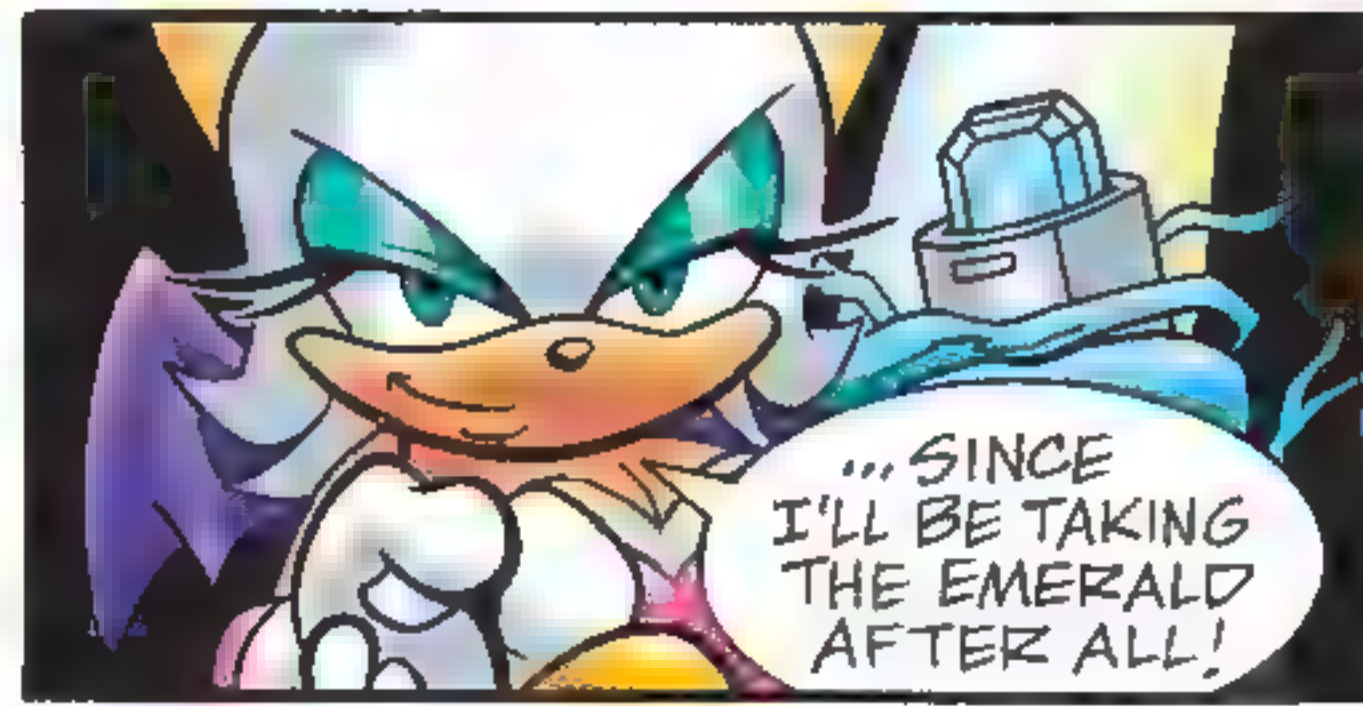


YOU'RE MORE THAN WELCOME! WE WERE HAPPY TO HELP!

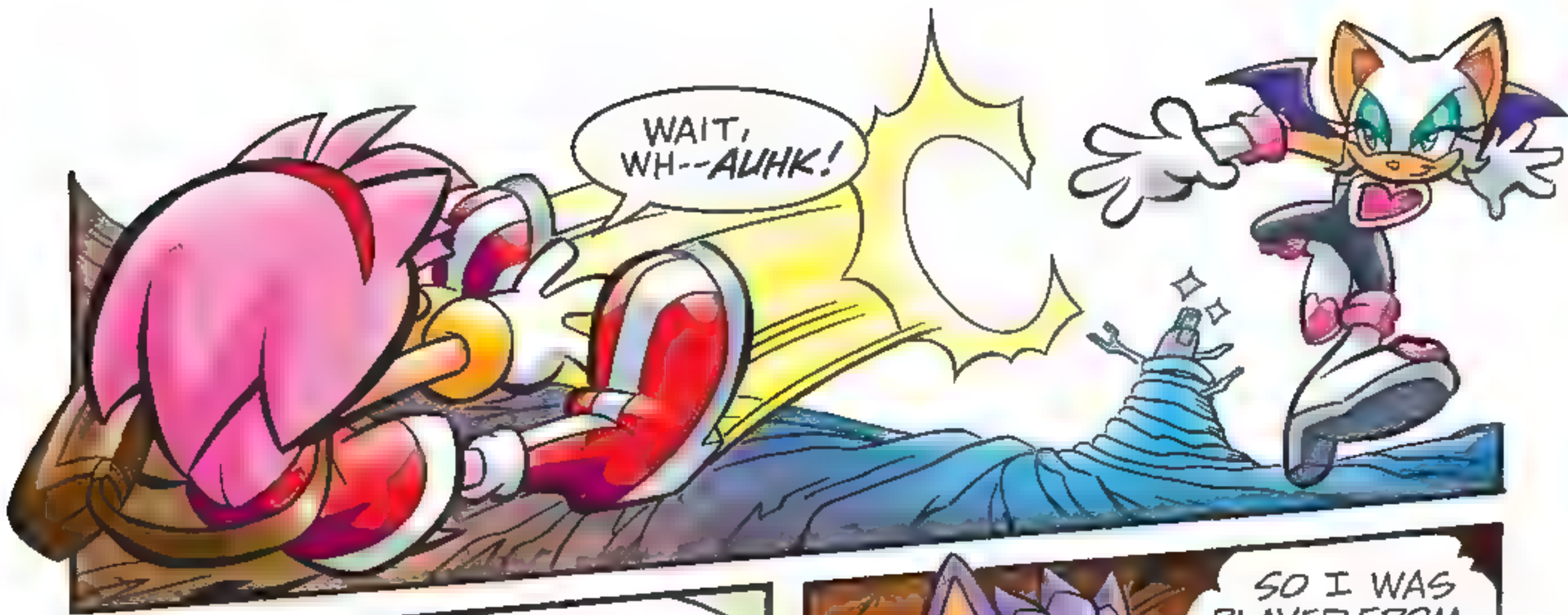


AND I'M... SORRY-FOR-DOUBTING-YOU. THANKS,

AW, THAT'S BIG OF YOU. BUT DON'T FEEL TOO BAD...



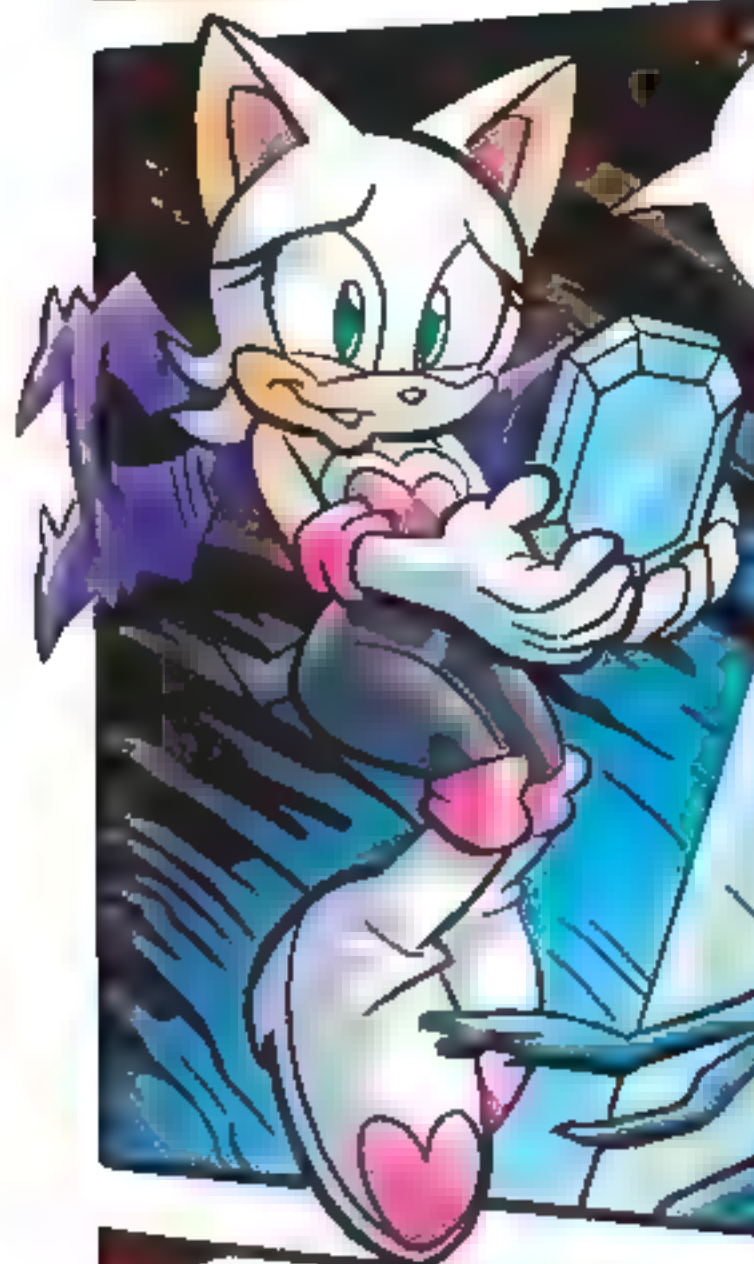
... SINCE I'LL BE TAKING THE EMERALD AFTER ALL!



WAIT, WH--AUHK!



OH, YOU'RE GORGEOUS. I JUST MIGHT KEEP YOU ALL TO MYSELF.



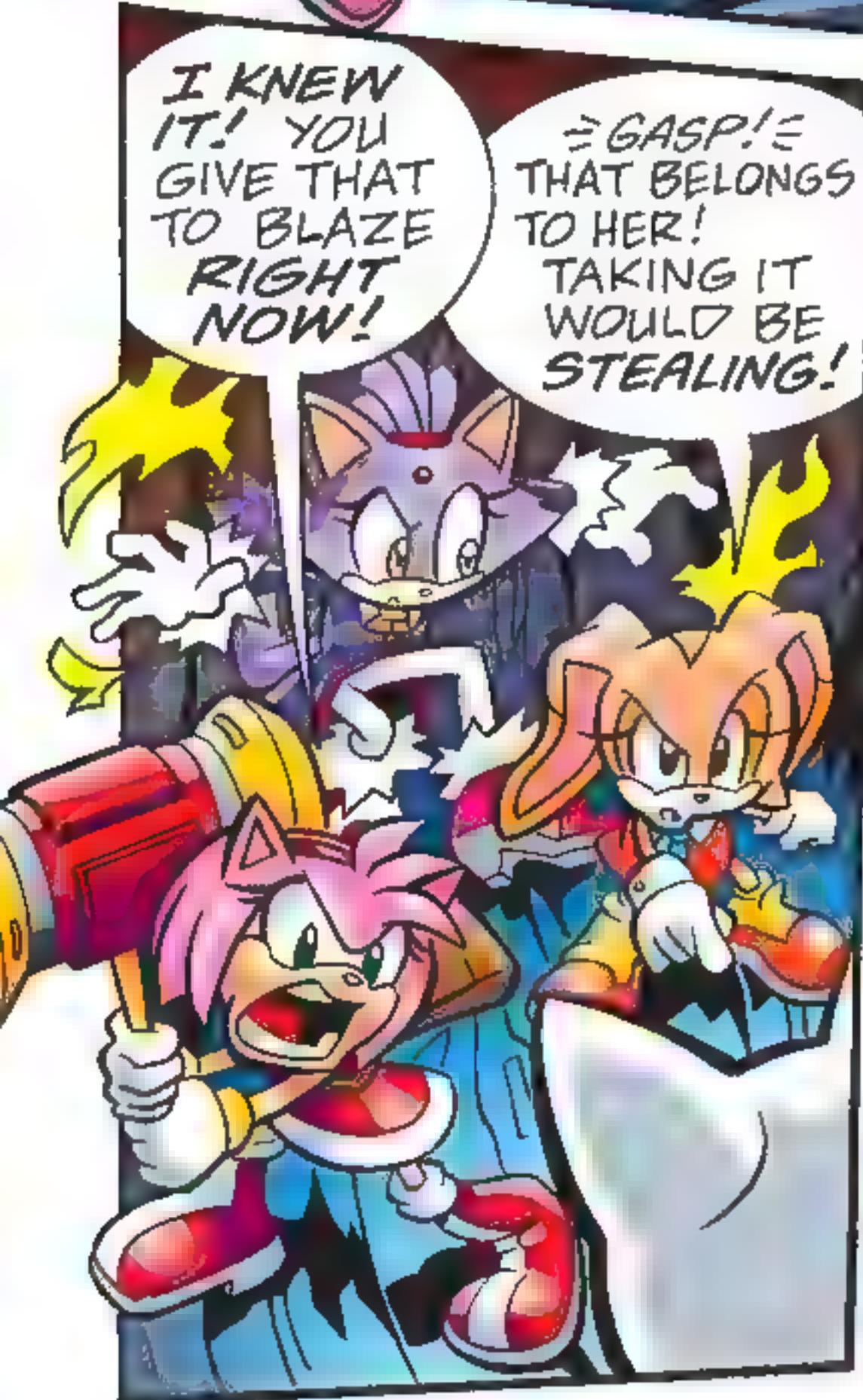
SO I WAS PLAYED FROM THE VERY BEGINNING. AND TO THINK I BELIEVED ANY OF THEM FOR A MOMENT...!



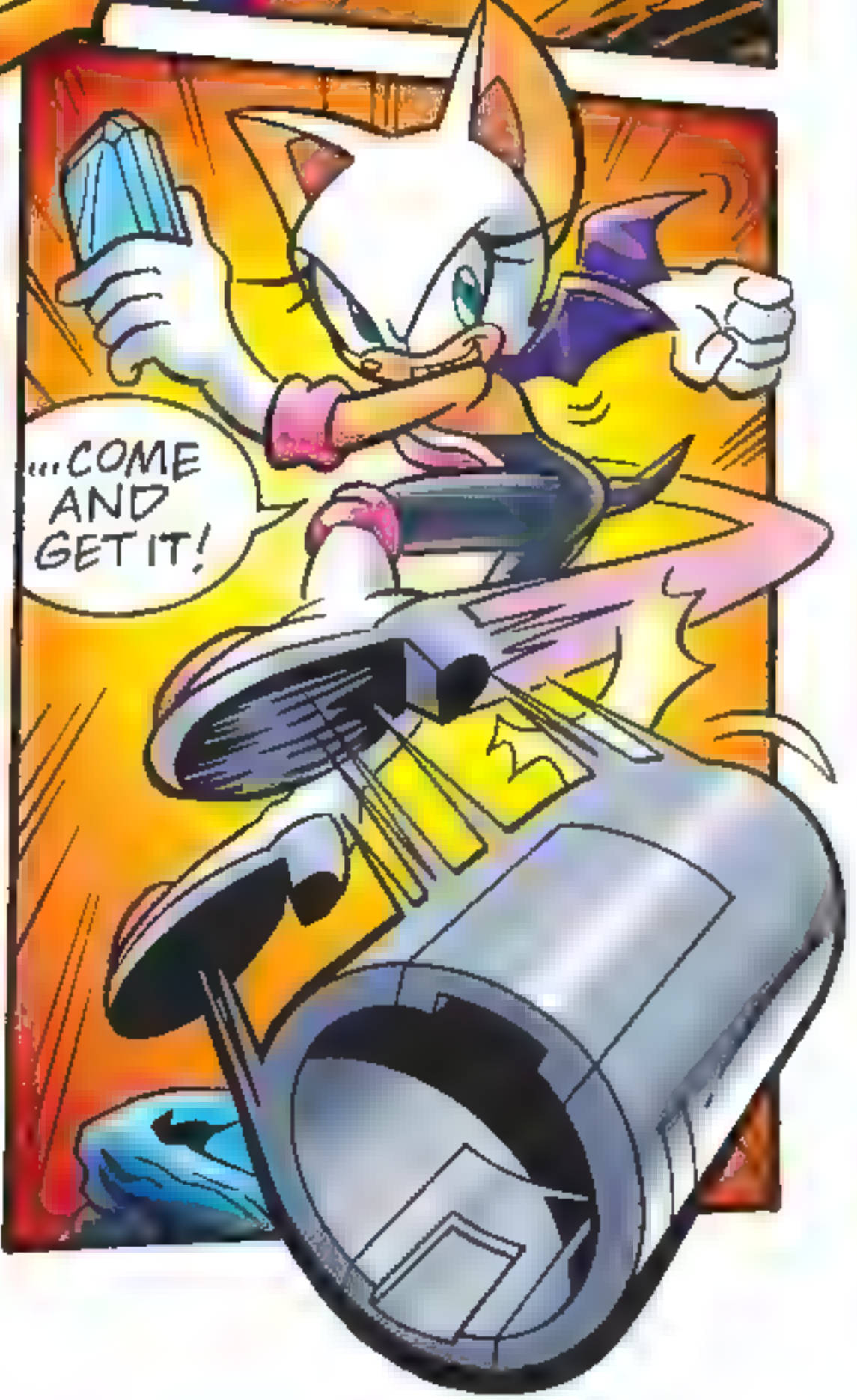
I KNEW IT! YOU GIVE THAT TO BLAZE RIGHT NOW!

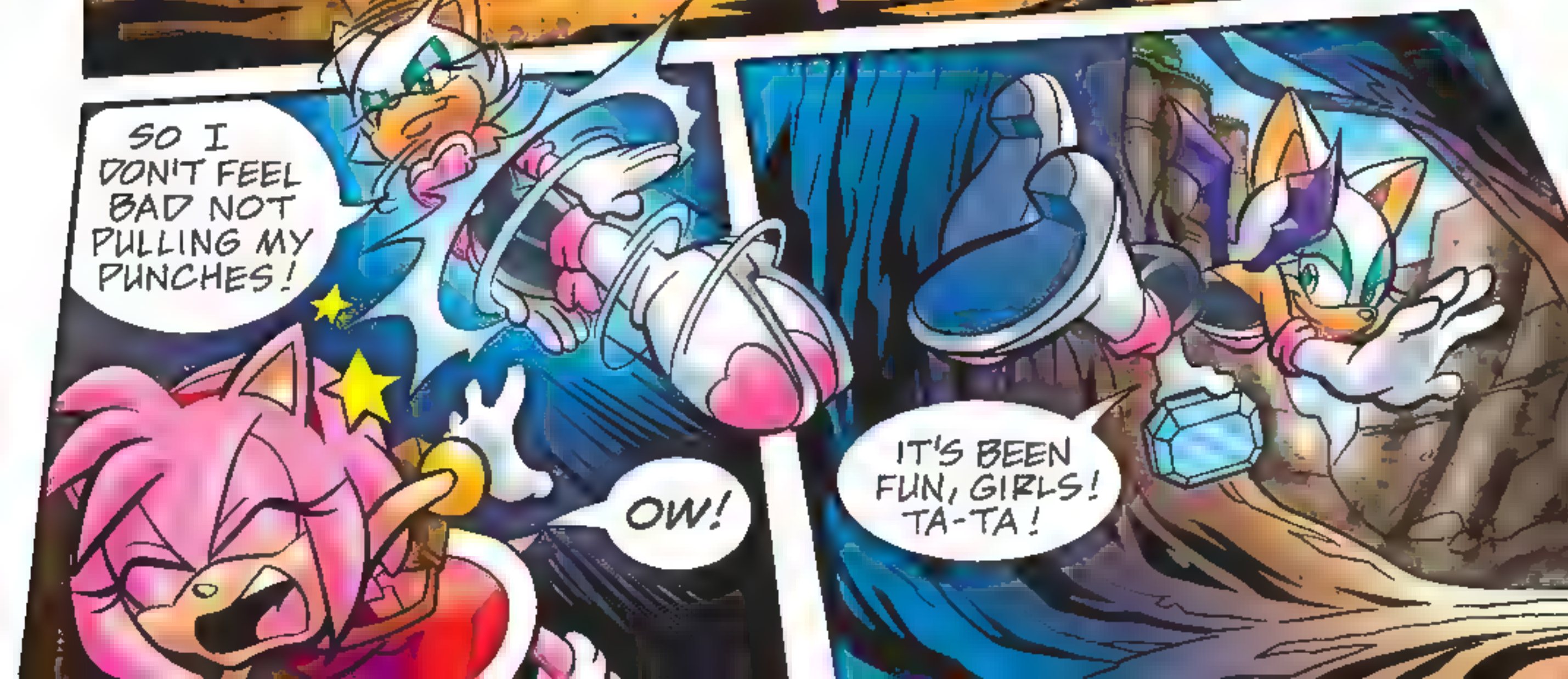
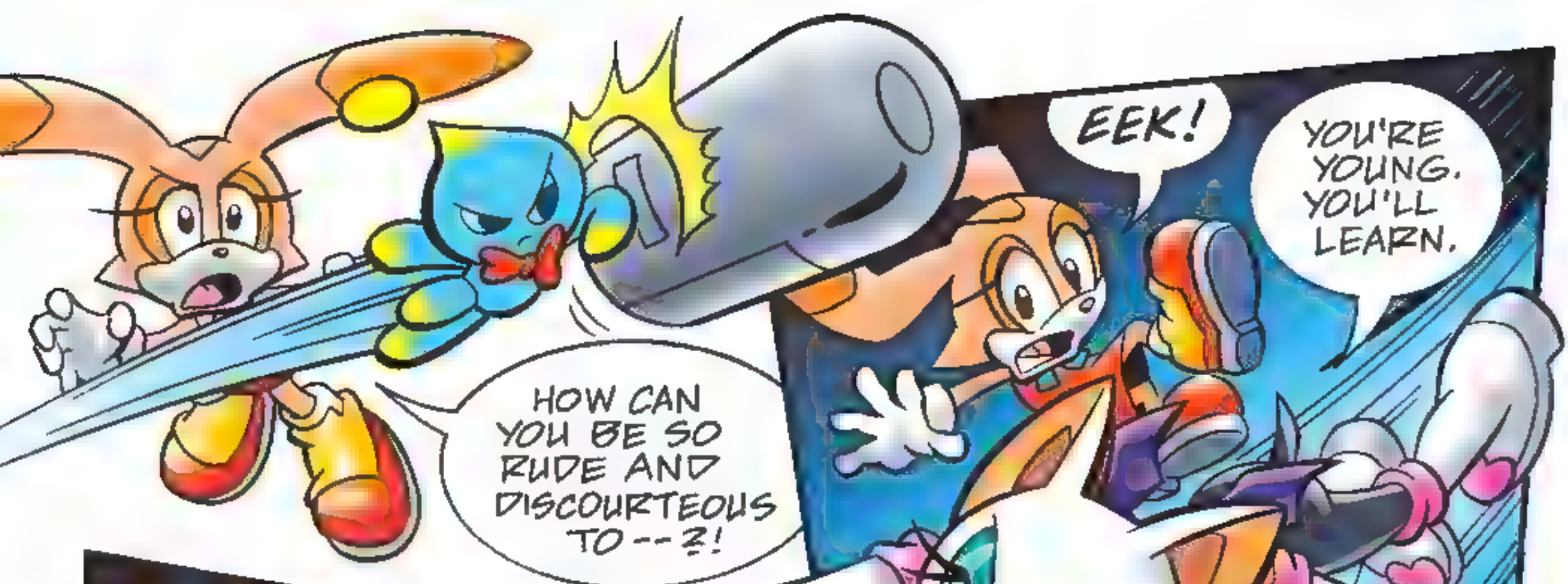
≡GASP!≡ THAT BELONGS TO HER! TAKING IT WOULD BE STEALING!

LITTLE GIRL, YOU SAY THAT LIKE I CARE. IF YOU WANT IT SO BAD...



...COME AND GET IT!







FWOOSH!!

GAH!

I WILL GIVE
YOU THIS ONE CHANCE.
GIVE ME THE SOL
EMERALD AND
YOU LEAVE
ALIVE.

OH! IF ONLY
THERE WERE SOME
BIG, STRONG MEN
AROUND TO BACK
UP POOR, DEFENSE-
LESS LITTLE ME!

WHAT?!

BUM!

WOOSH

WOOSH

THUD

THUD



HOW ABOUT THIS, SWEETIE?

YOU GO ON HOME AND LEAVE THE EMERALD TO ME!

OTHERWISE, WELL... I DON'T KNOW IF I CAN RESTRAIN THESE TWO!

WHAT DO YOU SAY?

IT LOOKS LIKE TEAM DARK HAS PUT IN THEIR BID FOR THE SOL EMERALD! NEXT TIME: IT'S TEAM DARK VERSUS TEAM ROSE! UNTIL THEN, CATCH EVEN MORE FUN WITH SONIC THE HEDGEHOG, SONIC ARCHIVES AND SONIC SELECTS!

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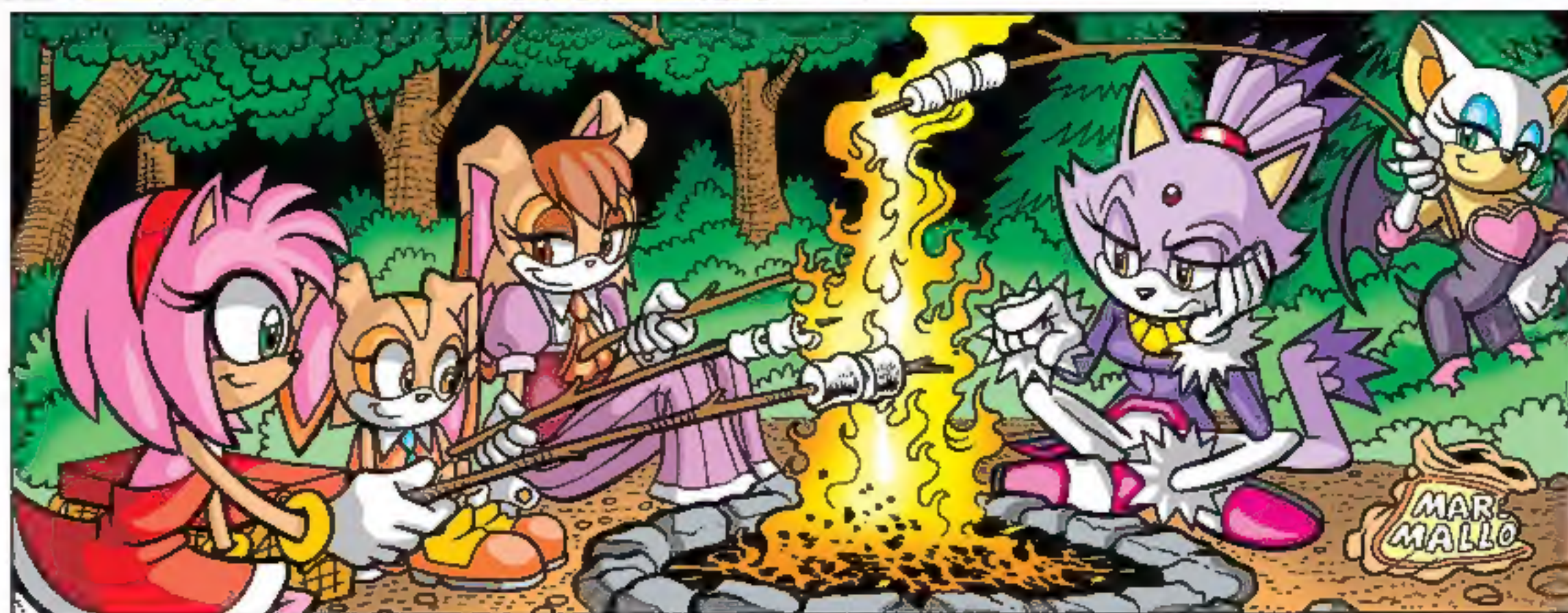


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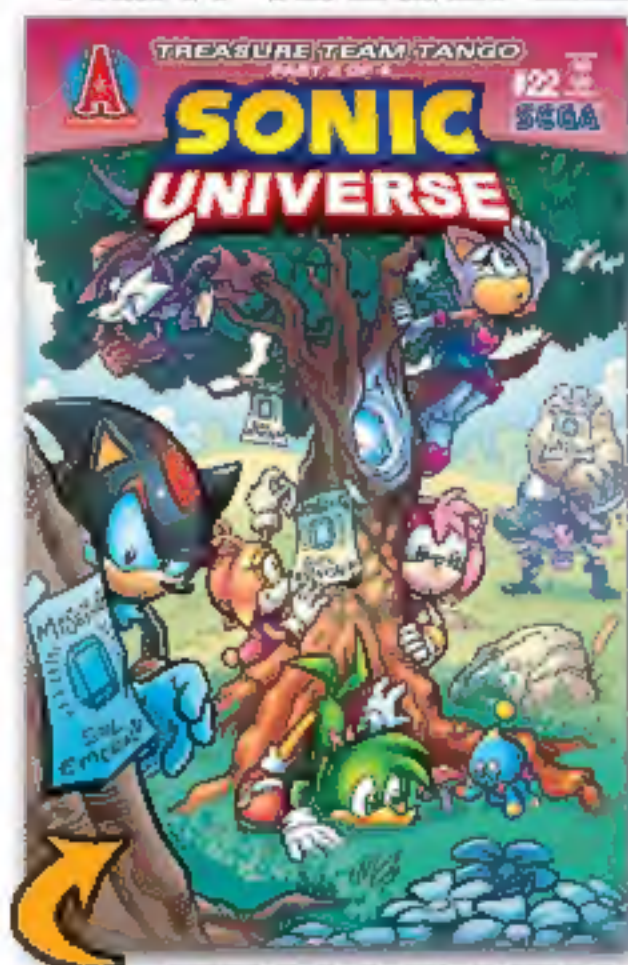
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**TEAM DARK
JOINS THE
TREASURE
TEAM
TANGO!**

...BUT THAT'S NOT ALL! BE HERE
NEXT MONTH & WATCH THE
INSANITY UNFOLD -- YOU WON'T
BELIEVE WHO SHOWS UP!

ON SALE THE WEEK OF 11/23/10!

SONIC THE HEDGEHOG: 218



**SONIC VS. BUNNIE:
FOR REAL?!**

THIS IS A FREEDOM FIGHTER
CLASH LIKE YOU'VE NEVER
SEEN BEFORE, ONLY IN...

"THICKER THAN WATER" pt2 (OF 2)

ON SALE THE WEEK OF 11/09/10

Dear 'My Sonic
Universe',
How have you guys
been doing?

*Aside from a touch
of writer's cramp, I'd
say pretty good!*

I have a few
questions:
1) The Master
Emerald is sometimes
referred to as "the
controller" in games
& TV. Does this mean
the emerald is some
sort of god?

*Although magical
and mystical, the
Master Emerald is
most certainly NOT
a god.*

2) You guys should
make a BLAZE arc!
*What did you think
of part one of
"TREASURE TEAM
TANGO"??*

3) Why does Speedy
wear a diaper?

...

*Contrary to popular
belief, Speedy is
NOT wearing a
diaper. That's a
portion of his egg
shell that he has
sanded off and
used as a part of
his uniform. Is it
connected to his
flight abilities?
Does his eggshell
hold some other
secretive secrets?
We shall see!*

4) I can't wait for the
Silver arc!!!

Yours Truly,
Paul B.
from Washington

Me neither!

Dear 'My Sonic
Universe',
I love your comics
and I have two things
to tell you that I need
confirmed:

1) Here is my
assumption of the
chronology of SU in
relation to the main
Sonic the Hedgehog
series - Daytime in
SU#17 takes place
at the same time as
STH #s 213-214, and
night in SU #s 17-18
is the same time as
night in STH#214. SU
#s 18-20 is the same
time as day in STH#s
215-216.

*I will be happy to
give you an answer
as soon as my head
stops spinning :)*

2) I believe Dr.
Fukurokov's name is
pronounced "FOO-
KOO-ROW-KAWV". I
deduced this because
the Japanese word
for owl is Fukurou
and when Bunnie
and Antoine
mispronounced his
name the last syllable
in both words had
"AW" sounds. Am I
right?

Sincerely,
Jordan S.
from California
DING DING DING!
We have a WINN-AH!

Dear 'My Sonic
Universe',
I am writing to say
how grateful I am to
be able to get your
Sonic the Hedgehog
and Sonic Universe
comic books. I really

like how good Ian
Flynn and Tracy
Yardley are. I believe
they are as talented
as they come; very
inspirational.

*Adulation, Admiration:
a Sonic freelancer
seeks not these
things -- but it's nice
to hear anyway :)*

I would like to know
how I can get the
original Sonic the
Hedgehog comic
books. My comic book
store doesn't have
these and they can't
order them for me. It's
very frustrating -- is
eBay my only option?

Sonic the Hedgehog
fan,
Jacob S.
from Texas

*If you mean the
REALLY old stuff,
try looking up comic
book conventions
near your area or
call 1-888-COMIC-
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a different store that
may have the issues
you're looking
for. Incidentally, if
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the early issues,
all you have to
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to ArchieComics.
com and pick up
the Sonic Archives
Graphic Novel series
which collects
every single issue
of the series! If it's
the actual comics
you're looking for,
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collector sets for
sale that go back as
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